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LOSS OF LUMBER BY FIRE

Entire Contents of Looney-Bloess Yard Destroyed Thursday Night

Looney and Bloess Lumber Company's yard, 400 East Main street, was destroyed by fire Thursday night. All that remained of the two by one-half block lumber yard were a few sheds standing at the extreme east end. The main lumber building and scattered piles of lumber were completely destroyed.

After inventories were taken this morning, Herman E. Bloess, 1409 West Broadway, of the lumber company, told Fire Chief John Lueck that estimated losses amounted to \$50,000.

The fire started between 7:30 and 8:00 o'clock, and when the fire departments arrived, nearly half of the lumber yard was ablaze, sending flame 100 feet in the air. Smoke was so dense in that area that people in nearby homes had to vacate.

It was undetermined as to how the fire started. Probably the first to see the blaze was the company's bookkeeper Ernest Van Wagner, 909 South Missouri who was in the office. He called the fire departments, and then grabbed up all valuable papers and bills and placed them in the vault. Smoke got so dense, that he had to go outside for fresh air.

The vault was opened this morning, and all its contents were in good condition.

The fire companies received the first alarm at 7:45. Five other fire alarms were received at about the same time.

Leo Bloess, 616 West Fifth street, is president of the company.

Some eye witnesses who saw the fire before the fire trucks arrived said it started in the southeast corner, and some said the middle of the yard. A south-east wind swept the flames to the front of the office building, facing Washington avenue. This is where the firemen maintained most of the hoses until getting the blaze under control about 9:15 o'clock.

When it became apparent that the blaze might endanger other property or possibly lives of some of the immense crowds that gathered for a few blocks surrounding the electric power lines were cut off. Telephone lines suffered damage due to the poles and cross arms carrying wires became ignited.

One cable was burned, causing 11 telephones in that vicinity to be out of order. Tom M. Mullaly said today that this damage would be repaired before tonight.

Intense heat coming from the blaze ignited a tire on an auto parked on the opposite side of Washington avenue.

Estimated damages to the car amounted to \$100. The owner of the automobile, J. E. Glasscock, 320 East Main street, was not at home when the fire started.

Wires Are Cut

Herbert Schultz and D. T. Bergfelder, public service maintenance men climbed telephone poles, and cut wires loose to keep live current from circulating. 7200 volts were said to be running through the wires. The northwest section

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Woodland Hospital Notes

Admitted for surgery: Mrs. Harry B. Turney, Jr., 401 Dal-Whi-Mo court.

Bethwell Hospital Notes

Admitted for tonsillectomy Miss Edna Vaughan, 1416 South Kentucky avenue.

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The Weather

Much colder tonight and Saturday. With light snow early tonight. Lowest tonight 0 to 5 above, highest Saturday 15 to 20 degrees.

SNOW AND COLDER

Temperature: 7 a. m. 30 degrees; 2 p. m. 32 degrees. Lowest during the night was 24 degrees.

Lake of the Ozarks: .6; rise .4.

Sun rise 6:28 a. m. Sun set 5:20 p. m.

Last quarter moon January 21; new moon January 28.

Thought For Today

They are idols of hearts and of households; They are angels of God in disguise;

His sunlight still sleeps in their tresses; His glory still gleams in their eyes.

Oh, those truants from home and from heaven, They have made me more manly and mild,

And I know now how Jesus could like

The kingdom of God to a child.—Dickens.

Cold Wave Forecast For State Today

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 21—(P)—A cold wave was forecast today for Missouri.

In addition to the eastern sections of the state were expected to receive rain or snow. The cold wave, coming along with clearing skies, was expected by the weather bureau to send temperatures down to five to 15 below zero tonight in the northwest; from zero to five below in the northeast and southwest and from five to 20 above in the southeast.

The bureau forecast rain in the south and rain or snow in the northeast this afternoon and rain turning to snow in the southeast half tonight and continuing Saturday morning.

Dean Acheson Sworn in as Sec'y of State

Brief Ceremony In Oval Office Of The President

By John M. Hightower

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21—(P)—Dean Acheson was sworn in as secretary of state at 11:13 a. m. today in President Truman's office.

The ceremony set Acheson officially to the task of translating into action the broad anti-Communist foreign policy which President Truman announced in the first minutes of his elected term in the White House.

The oath was administered by Chief Justice Fred Vinson who stood with Acheson in front of President Truman's desk. Mr. Truman stood behind.

The president then walked around the big desk and shook hands with the mustached, gray-haired lawyer whom he chose to operate his four-front anti-Communist policy.

Brief Ceremony

This ceremony was brief but Mr. Truman's oval office was packed with a crowd of government officials, congressional leaders, their wives, and friends of Acheson. The group gave a distinctly bipartisan flavor to Acheson's induction — something that might be important when he goes to Congress for backing for the president's program.

Immediately behind Mr. Truman as the oath was administered to Acheson were Chairman Connally (D-Tex) of the senate foreign relations committee and Senator Vandenberg (Mich.), former Republican chairman and a leader in the bi-partisan foreign policy.

Chairman Bloom (D-NY) of the House foreign affairs committee and Rep. Eaton (N.J.), former Republican chairman, were present to make the roster of capitol foreign policy leaders complete.

Mrs. Acheson was there as was Miss Barbara Evans, the new cabinet member's secretary.

Other Members of Family

Other members of the Acheson family included the secretary's son, David, and his brother, Edward, a professor at George Washington university here.

Acheson was accompanied to the White House and into the president's office by his old friend and adviser, associate justice Felix Frankfurter of the supreme court.

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His own undersecretary-to-be, budget director James E. Webb, watched Acheson take the oath. Webb has yet to be confirmed by the Senate. Acheson was confirmed Tuesday by a 83 to 6 vote after he had firmly rejected the charges of his critics that he was an appeaser of Russia.

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Ruins of the Looney-Bloess Lumber Yard as Viewed This Morning



The above picture, taken from the south, looking north, shows the ruins of the Looney-Bloess Lumber company. Main street and Washington avenue, destroyed by fire Thursday night. At the extreme center left is the viaduct over the railroad tracks on Washington avenue. To the right of that is shown the ruins of the brick office, which was also razed by the blaze. Two trucks were burned up in the fire. The building shown in the background is the Missouri-Pacific Freight House. (Bill Padgett Photo)

Everything in Washington Is Wonderful

States Scruton, In Telephone Call To Home Folks

"We are just back in the hotel after attending the President's inaugural ball," said Democratic-Capital staffer D. Kelly Scruton to another staffer, calling from Washington, D. C., at 12:45 o'clock this morning, Sedalia time. (1:45 o'clock EST).

"Was it nice?" asked the staffer in Sedalia.

"Nice," he replied, "it was wonderful. It was all they said it would be and more. In fact the whole day was wonderful. We have been going since 8 o'clock this morning. Ruth (Mrs. Scruton) has her shoes off and bag (May Julian H. Bagby), who is sitting here in the room, says his feet are tired too. The Frank Hayes' were waiting to get their wraps when we left them at the army, where the ball was held.

Saw Leo Eickhoff

"You should have seen that good Republican Leo Eickhoff playing for the Democratic inaugural," he said. "I got a chance to get close enough to wave at him. He smiled and waved back and I don't believe he missed a note. Sedalians can be proud of him. The orchestra he was playing with was just as good as those of some 'name' bands playing there."

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Aged Woman Comes From Afar to Visit Sister, Ill Here

A sweet little old lady attract-

ed considerable attention in her journey from Reuben, Ore., to Sedalia to visit her sick sister. She was Mrs. Allie Webb and had come the long distance to see the last other remaining members of a family of 12 children, five boys and seven girls, Mrs. Nora Gordon, who was the seventh girl.

Walking with the aid of a cane, because she had arthritis, Mrs. Webb came into the Missouri Pacific station this morning with a young man holding her arm. She didn't know the young man, she said. The red cap in Kansas City had just brought her in the train and the conductor told her to sit there beside the young man. He was very nice to her and seemed anxious about her traveling and what she was going to do. "But,"

she said, "I wasn't worried. I am used to traveling. I have traveled a good part of my life. I know a lot of people here in Sedalia, and I knew I could find my sister by myself."

Took Care of Her

Never-the-less the young man was going to see that she was taken care of, but as others became interested in her around the station he was relieved of his duties and went on his way.

Mrs. Webb had a letter from a niece, telling her that her sister had been taken to the Buena Vista

Home, north of Sedalia, and although Mrs. Webb thought she could find the place by herself,

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Attend Your Church

FIFTH STREET METHODIST, Fifth and Osage streets. Dr. H. U. Campbell, minister. Church school 9:30 a. m. Missionary Sunday with all the class offerings for missions. Morning worship 10:30. Mrs. Mary Stuvel conducts a church nursery for small children during the church hour. Mrs. Mae Moser, organist, will play "Calm As the Night" by Bonn and "Pastorale" by Douglas. Anthem, "Galatians 6:7." Sermon subject: "Galatians 6:7."

FIRST METHODIST, Fourth and Osage. J. F. King, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Glenn Stewart, general superintendent. Morning worship 10:30. Sermon subject: "The Source of Joy." The Youth Fellowship meets in the Chapel at 6:30 p. m. Evening worship 7:30. Sermon subject: "The Scars of Calvary."

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN (Mission Synod) Broadway and Massachusetts avenue. Rev. Walter F. Strickert, pastor; Miss Mildred Brackman, organist; William Bergman, Sunday school superintendent. Sunplay school and Bible class 9:15 a. m. Divine service with celebration of Holy Communion 10:30 a. m. The pastor will preach on the topic: "What Is Truth?" A group of new members will be received in this service by confirmation.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENCE Sixth and Lamine. Sunday school is held at 9:30 a. m. for persons under the age of 20. Sunday services.

Wednesday evening testimonial meetings are at 3. The public is invited to enjoy the services in the reading room located at the same building entrance on Sixth street. It is open to the public each afternoon from 2:00 to 4:00 except Sundays and holidays also after the Wednesday evening meetings. The Bible and the writings of Mary Baker Eddy and all authorized Christian Science literature may be read at this room.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN, Seventeenth and Harrison. E. S. Brunner, pastor. Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Morning service 11:00. Evening service 7:30 p. m.

SACRED HEART, Third street and Moniteau avenue. Father A. J. Brunswick, pastor. Sunday masses 6:00, 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 a. m. Weekly masses 6:15 and 7:30 a. m.

FIRST BAPTIST, Sixth and Lamine. Thomas W. Croxton, pastor; E. Norman Webb, assistant pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. W. L. Reed, superintendent. Departments and classes for all age groups. Morning worship 10:45 with preaching by the pastor on the subject: "Making Our Religion Pay Off." Special music directed by E. Norman Webb. Training Union 6:15 p. m. William Morgan, general director. Department for all ages. Evening worship 7:30 with preaching by the assistant pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHAPEL, Sixteenth and Hancock. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Clyde Williams, superintendent. Classes for all ages. Rev. John B. Rollins will be present for both morning and evening worship.

BROADWAY PRESBYTERIAN, Broadway and Kentucky. Rev. D. Warren Neal, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. T. R. Snow, superintendent. Service of worship 10:45 a. m. Nursery in Primary Department. Sermon: "Respectable Devil." Miss Dorothy Reed, organist; Mrs. H. C. Johnson, choir director. Westminster Youth Fellowship 6:30 p. m.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST, Eleventh and Lafayette Services every Saturday morning Sabbath school at 9:45 and church at 11 a. m.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Sixth street and Lamine avenue.

Services Sunday 11 a. m.

"TRUTH" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 23, 1949.

Golden Text: Psalms 86:15.

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." (John 8:32) The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science Textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Christ, Truth, was demonstrated through Jesus to prove the power of Spirit over flesh,—to show that Truth is made manifest by its effects upon the human mind and body, healing sickness and destroying sin." (p. 516)

IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED, Fourth and Vermont streets. William C. Bessmer, pastor; Mrs. A. R. Beach, director of music; Miss Lillian J. Fox, organist; Lloyd Satterwhite, superintendent of church school. Sunday, January 23: Church school classes for all ages 9:30 a. m. Worship 10:35 a. m. Sermon: "Beginning and End of Missions." The youth choir will sing: "Gracious Savior" by Gluck. The adult choir will sing: "More Love to Thee" by Norman. The Builders class meets at the church, Monday, January 24, with pot-luck supper at 7:00 p. m. Leonard Dowdy will speak. The Mary-Martha Circle meets at the home of Mrs. E. G. Liebel, 1500 East Seventh street, Thursday, January 27, with dessert luncheon at 2:00 p. m.

CALVARY EPISCOPAL, Broadway and Ohio. Henry C. Salveter, lay reader; Charles Hanna, superintendent. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning prayer 11:00. The Boy Scouts will meet in the Methodist Youth Fellowship will convene at the Sedalia First Methodist church on Friday evening February 4, with a banquet at 6:30 p. m. (Registration 5:00 p. m.) and continue on Saturday morning and conclude on Saturday afternoon, February 5.

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST of Latter Day Saints. Elder Roe B. Vincent, pastor. Church school 9:45 a. m. Morning service 11:00. Elder Nelson Pugh, will be the speaker.

"The law of the Lord is perfect, converting the soul: the testimony of the Lord is sure, making wise the simple." (Psalm 19:9).

Sunday School 9:30 a. m.
Service of Worship 10:45 a. m.
Westminster Youth Fellowship 6:30 p. m.

Broadway Presbyterian Church
Broadway Avenue at Kentucky

God's Blueprint

The prisons of the world are filled with men who have learned at bitter cost that "crime does not pay." Good sense, prudence, not to mention morality and self-respect, warn against infringing the laws of the State. A man may commit a crime and "get away with it." But the habitual law-breaker will inevitably stand at the bar of judgment and exiation.

In the spiritual life especially, where we speak not of crime but of sin, wrongdoing is even more certain to bring tragedy. The sinner is never undetected, since the One offended is God, who is omniscient and cannot be deceived.

Some sins may be spiritual misdemeanors, such as being unkind toward others or telling small lies; or spiritual felonies, such as blasphemy or adultery. But they are all dangerous. The slight sin may lead to big sins. And whereas God, unlike human judges, will always forgive the repentant, the obstinate evildoer will eventually have to pay the price of his folly.

In the Ten Commandments God gave man a blueprint upon which to build his life. Some may complain that the decalogue imposes too severe a restraint on human nature; that men cannot be expected rigidly to observe it. The answer is in the countless millions who not only model their lives in willing compliance with the divine mandates, but are happy in doing so. One never finds a man sad because he obeys the will of God. But where is the happy sinner? The way of the transgressor is always hard.

Fear of divine retribution is a good reason for honoring the divine precepts. But the real motive should be the love of God. God has given us many blessings—so many, indeed, that were we to spend our lives in a ceaseless outpouring of praise, we could not even begin to thank Him enough. If, then, God asks us to yield Him the tribute of loyalty and obedience, should we not submit to Him graciously and unreservedly?

Keeping the commandments is not hard if we constantly remember that sin is a direct offense against the majesty and goodness of God. The justice of God demands that sin be punished; but His mercy is never withheld from the truly repentant.

Go To Church This Sunday

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Baptismal service 3:00 p. m. at Knob Noster. Zion's League 7:30 p. m. Saturday at Holden. Young adults 7:30 p. m. January 22 at 1410 East Fifth street. Confirmation 7:30 p. m. Sunday, January 23.

EAST SEDALIA BAPTIST, 1019 East Fifth. Rev. W. P. Walker, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Clyde L. Waters, superintendent. Morning worship 10:30. Pastor's theme: "Robbed At Church Last Sunday." Training Union 6:15 p. m. Orville H. Lampert, director. Evening evangelistic service 7:30 p. m. Wednesday 6:30 p. m. Junior R. A. S. meet at 7:30 p. m. Youth choir practice; 7:30 p. m. mid-week prayer service; 8:30 p. m. adult choir practice.

PACIFIC HEIGHTS BAPTIST MISSION, 2119 East Broadway. Rev. William C. Smith, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Mrs. Bert Farley, superintendent. Morning worship service 10:30. Training Union 6:15 p. m. Cecil Smith, director. Evening service 7:30. Friday 6:45 p. m. weekly prayer service.

TRINITY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN (ULCA), Tenth street at Osage avenue. Rev. C. Arthur Freeberg, pastor; Mrs. Elmer Englund, organist; Leonard Sterling, choir director; Elmer E. Sterling, Sunday school superintendent. Sunday school classes for every age group will be held at 9:30 a. m. The worship service will be held at 10:45 a. m. Pastor Freeberg will preach on the topic: "Miracles of Faith." Luther Leaguers will meet at the home of Miss Doris Green on Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The church choir will meet for rehearsal on Thursday evening, January 27 at 7:30.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, Fourteenth and Stewart avenue. Services Lord's day morning beginning 10:30. Bible lesson: Second chapter of II Peter. Communion 11:00 a. m. Evening services at 7:30 devoted to selected scripture reading, memory verses and singing. Study topic for the evening service is: A review of the scriptures pertaining to the Christian graces as found in first chapter II Peter. Communion at the evening service for those unable to attend morning worship.

Faith TABERNACLE, Saline and Engineer street. Rev. Sidney K. Mabry, pastor; Violet Mabry, Sunday school superintendent. Morning worship 11:00. We are still in our revival meeting with Evangelist Fred Braden speaking each night at 8:00. Gospel Fire Band 6:45 p. m. Sunday evening. Bro. Mackinson as leader. Sunday night service 8:00. Evangelist Fred Braden speaking.

CHURCH OF THE OPEN BIBLE, Rev. Leo Simmonds, pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 10:45 a. m. Young People's Overcomers 6:45 p. m. Evening service 7:45. Sermon subject: "A Sinners Joy" for Sunday night. Week night services Tuesday and Thursday 7:45 p. m.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE IN FORECLOSURE OF DEED OF TRUST

Whereas Rev. B. Hamm and Osa L. Hamm, his wife, by their certain deed of trust dated the 25th day of October, 1945, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for the County of Pettis, State of Missouri, in Trust Deed Record 424 on page 299, conveyed to the undersigned trustee, the following described real estate situate in the County of Pettis, State of Missouri, to-wit:

All that part of Lot number Two (2) of the Northwest Quarter of Section Two (2) in Township Forty-six (46) North, of Range Twenty (20) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in the County of Pettis and State of Missouri.

The Northeast Quarter (NE4) of Southeast Quarter (SE4) of Section Two (2) in Township Forty-six (46) North, of Range Twenty (20) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian.

Lot number Two (2) of the North East Quarter (NE4) of Section Two (2) in Township Forty-six (46) North, of Range Twenty (20) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian.

Which conveyance was made to the undersigned in trust, to secure the payment of their certain note in said deed of trust described; and, whereas, the principal of said note and interest thereon are now past due and remain unpaid.

Now therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note, and in pursuance of the covenants in said deed of trust, the undersigned, trustee, will sell for cash at the Court House West door in the City of Sedalia, Missouri, on the 15th day of February, 1949, between the hours of 9:00 A. M. and 5:00 P. M. on said day, for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and the cost of executing this trust.

Attest: A true copy from the Record.

(Seal) J. E. SMITH,

Judge and Ex-Officio Clerk of Probate Court, Pettis County, Missouri.

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HENRY C. SALVETER,
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Social Events—Clubs

The engagement of Miss Sara R. Steele, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Steele, of Route 2, Quarryville, Pa., to Dr. Clayton F. Callis, son of Judge Edward Callis, of Hughesville, was announced January 8, by her parents.

Miss Steele is a graduate of Lancaster General Hospital School of Nursing, Class of 1946 and is employed at the Kadlee hospital, Richland, Wash.

Dr. Callis is a research chemist with General Electric, at Hanford Works, Richland, Pa. He received his doctor of philosophy degree from the University of Illinois in February 1948.

The date of the marriage has not been set.

The Ladies Society of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, met at the home of Mrs. C. T. Holt Thursday.

At the noon hour chili was served by Mrs. Holt and Mrs. Roy Hill.

The business meeting was presided over by Mrs. J. R. Hunt, president.

Those present were Mrs. J. R. Hunt, Mrs. Leland Witt, Mrs. Robert Forsberg, Mrs. J. E. Coates, Mrs. James Doty, Mrs. Virgil Tucker, Mrs. Harry Frey, Mrs. H. E. Wesseloh, Mrs. Roy Ramey, Mrs. Bessie Motz, Mrs. L. N. Yunker, Mrs. Russell Overfelt, Mrs. Chester Long, Mrs. Troy Teeters, Mrs. John B. O'Brien, Mrs. Jay Nicholson, Sr., Mrs. W. J. Griessen, Mrs. E. L. Ringen and Mrs. C. M. Brownfield.

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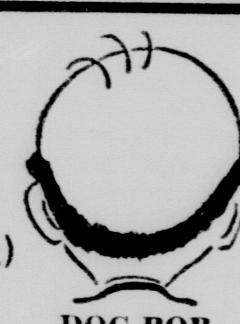
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New Fabrics Give 'The Look' Fresh Appeal For Spring



Exciting new fabrics forecast a fresh style appeal for spring fashions. The greatcoat (center) of a new lighter-weight and more supple wool tweed in "puddin' beige" features a multicolor plaid border angled from front to back in a spectacular V-shaped inset. Graniteen wool, a new sleek, tight-woven, dull-surfaced fabric, makes the suit (left) with a boxy Empire-style jacket of mauve

pink and a slim skirt of "coin silver" gray. Pure silk dress (right) in a limited edition print of wavy black stripes on a pink-dotted background of bright blue interprets the straight silhouette called the "plumb line." The chemise-style dress is ensembled with a boxy jacket for which stripes are cleverly angled to emphasize straight-as-a-string lines.

gabardine. This woolen takes lively new pastel colors and neutral shades of strong character. Designers combine neutrals and pastels with so much imagination and skill that a New Look is created: the two-toned suit. Example is the George Carmel design which subtly blends a pink boxy flyaway jacket with a slim coin-gray skirt of graniteen. A '49 bow to the Empire period is seen in the deep-curving yoke of the jacket, edged with gray, a piping detail which is repeated on flat-winged lapels, slot pockets and bell-shaped cuffs.

Soft tweeds, freed of weightiness and bulkiness, are the medium used for the greatcoat which swings again into spring, but usually with restrained sweep. What the long, flaring coat loses in sweep is more than made up for by special tailoring, dramatic collar design, or unusual play of fabric. An example of fabric drama is seen in a tweed greatcoat of "puddin' beige" which is outstanding in one collection as a spectacular design. What slashes pure drama into the coat of neutral tweed is a wide band of multicolor plaid inset in a sweeping V angled from the front to the back.

Far from being eclipsed by woolens, silks outshine other fabrics in high style dress collections. Silk combines with fine Egyptian

cotton to make a fabric blend with spectacular appeal. For other unusual mixtures, silk fibers blend as gracefully with woolen yarn. Pure silk takes on its own prints as artistic looking as signed paintings.

Just as sleek woolens emphasize the silhouette of suits, printed silks are used to point up the plumb line look of the new dress fashions. Eta, for example, employs the design of a black wavy stripe printed on a pink dotted background of bright blue to interpret her new straight-as-a-string chemise dress. This is belt-ed with black patent leather and is ensembled with a boxy jacket.

Death Claim Granted

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 21.—(AP)—A death claim for \$12,000, largest ever allowed in Buchanan county, was granted yesterday by Circuit Judge Emmett J. Crouse. The judgment was allowed Mrs. Alma E. Loftis against the Home Oil and Gas company and Maurice Jackson for damages in the death of her husband after a collision of two oil trucks near Fawcett, Mo., last January.

Martha and Mickey Are Moony



Mickey Rooney, who likes his wives taller than he is, has announced his engagement to Martha Vickers, who towers six inches above the films' Andy Hardy. Mickey and Martha must wait until her divorce from publicity man A. C. Lyles is final. "They're in love, they're very happy and he gave her a ring," said Rooney's manager, Sam Steiffel. "What the future holds, God knows. They'll talk about that after she's divorced."

Talk Plans For County Schools

The Pettis County Board of Education met in the office of the county superintendent Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Members present were: Olen Monsees, chairman of the Pettis county board, as to possible plans for the reorganization of Pettis county schools.

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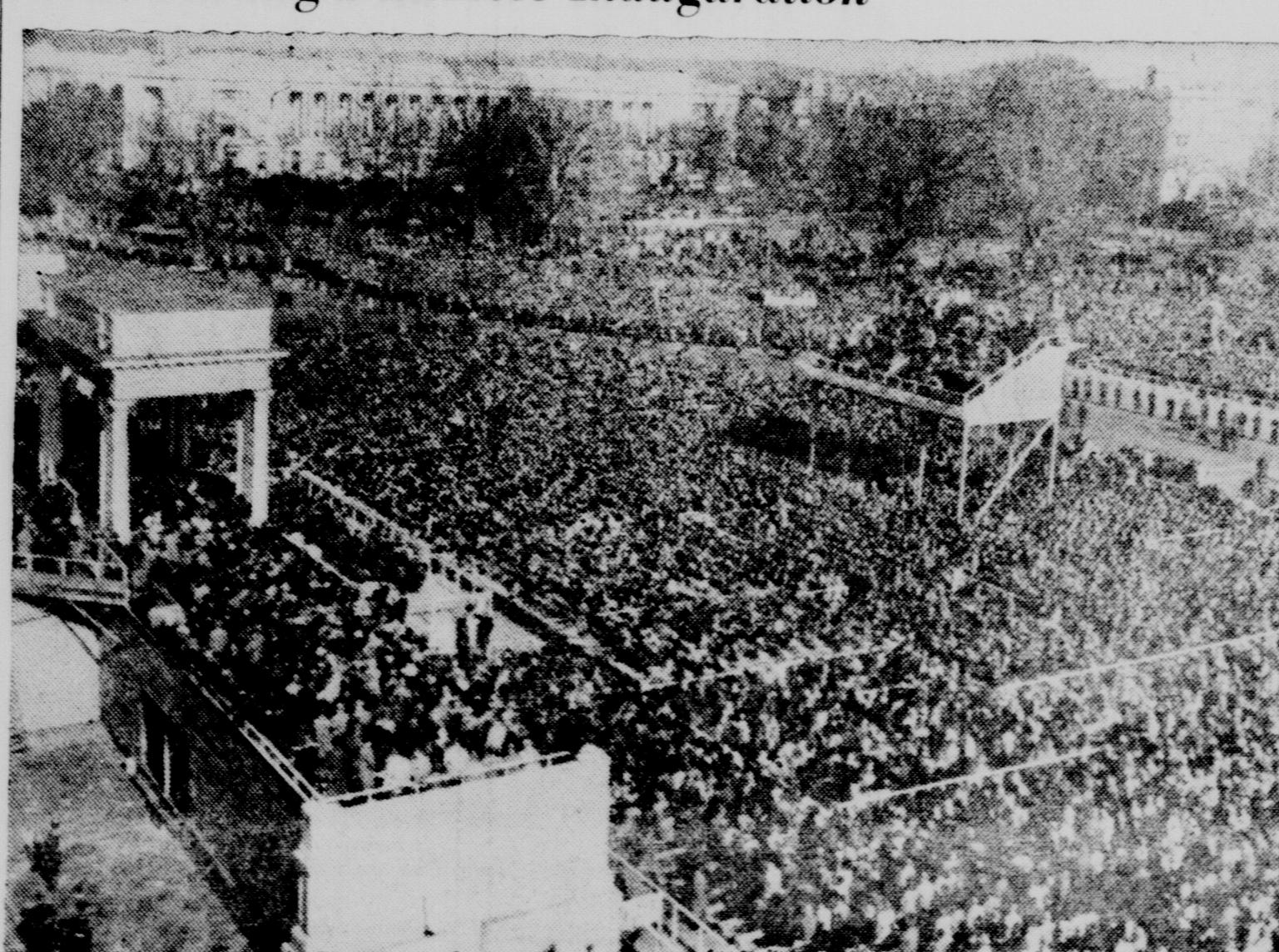
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of reorganization of the State Department of Education, was present in Pettis county during the day and was at the meeting Thursday night.

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Great Throng Witnesses Inauguration



A hushed crowd, estimated at 100,000 persons, listens as Harry S. Truman repeats the oath of office of the President of the United States on the rotunda of the Capitol building. The inaugural stand is at the left, covered, and the photographer's stand is at the right. (NEA TELEPHOTO)

Club Hears Review on 'The Navajo Farmer'

The County Line club met January 6 in an all day meeting at the club house. The hostess was Mrs. Jessie Wear assisted by Mrs. Glen Nelson. After a contributed dinner the president Mrs. Glen Nelson called the meeting to order. Roll call was answered by "My Favorite Family Maga-

zine." After the business meeting Mrs. Lewis Zemsteg gave a review on "The Navajo Farmer." The year books were discussed and will be filled out by the officers at a called meeting at the home of Mrs. Bob Murray. There were nine members and two children present.

The next meeting will be held February 3 at the club house.

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Everything in Washington Is Wonderful

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better. It was probably a nice way he had of telling his driver (Scruton) he was going too fast—at least that was what Kelly's friends told him later.

"Secretary Tobin was wonderful to us," said Scruton. "He stopped right in the middle of a dance, told us how much he enjoyed the visit in Sedalia, asked about friends he had met there and said he hoped to return some time. He introduced us to Mrs. Tobin who said she had been hearing a great deal about that Sedalia visit and the people of that city."

Visited With Gen. Ike
"I also had a nice visit with Gen. Ike Eisenhower," said Scruton, "and President and Mrs. Truman looked down from their gallery box, saw us and waved."

"How was the parade?" asked Scruton's answer. "We saw it from the White House reviewing stand."

"I thought you could see it from your hotel room?" said the home staffer. "We could," he replied, "but who wanted to stay in a hotel room when you could be at the White House? The weather was fine, however, if you stood around too much it got cold, so while waiting for the parade we'd go in the office of Charles Ross in the White House, get warm and listen in on the radio. That way, when the parade moved, we went out and climbed up into our seats on the eighth row."

Off to Eat Lobster
"Bagby," he said, "was with the Missouri Colonels. They did not march, but had a section reserved where they were seated and watched the parade."

"And that parade was something worth seeing," he added.

"Tomorrow we are going to Howard McGrath's party," he said. McGrath is national champion of the Democratic committee. "And we may," he stated, "attend a social function Secretary of the Treasury John Snyder is giving. A visit to the White House is also on the list for Friday."

"We have been so busy going places lately we haven't had time to eat since breakfast," he said, adding, "Bagby suggests we go out and eat lobster. So I guess that's where we are going now," he concluded.

Aged Woman Comes From Afar to Visit Sister, Ill Here

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went to work trying to locate her relatives. Her visit was a surprise to her relatives.

Mrs. Webb was a spunky little person, but that spunk had started early in life. Her father had died while most of the children were still small and they had to go to work young. But they knew how to work and Mrs. Webb worked for a year as a waitress at the old Sticher hotel for \$2.00 a week. Then she and the two other girls started west. They separated after they had gone part of the way, one went to Nebraska, the other one somewhere else and Mrs. Webb, who was then Allie Fall, went to Huntington, Ore. She went from one place to another working in large hotels and drawing all the way from \$40.00 to \$75.00 a week.

Met Young Rancher
Then she met a young rancher, Emmett Webb. He was the son of a wealthy Missouri family and they married and lived on his ranch. They had no children and during his lifetime and after his death she did a lot of traveling. He died about the time of the first World War. "We had plenty of money, so we just traveled," she said.

That was why it seemed so queer that people should be so worried about her on this trip. The conductors, the red caps, the porters, the people on the train, everybody was so nice.

She had been living the past two years with another woman, but she didn't like living there very well—so now she is here to see her sister, who lived alone until her illness.

"I don't know how long I'll stay here," she said, "maybe a year."

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Sedalia, Mo., Friday, January 21, 1949



OBITUARIES

Mrs. Emma B. Cook

Mrs. Emma B. Cook, who lived at 1113 West Sixteenth street, until recently, died at the Bothwell hospital at 10:45 o'clock this morning. She had been a patient at the hospital since last Friday.

Mrs. Cook was born in Virginia, February 26, 1878, the daughter of the late D. B. and Columbia Yowell Herndon.

She came to Missouri with her parents when she was a young girl.

She was married to Fred H. Cook at Sedalia November 27, 1918. They resided all of their married life in Pettis county on a farm near Beaman, until 1946 when they moved to Sedalia.

Mr. Cook predeceased her in death last September. She was also preceded in death by one brother, Marcellus Herndon and three sisters, Mrs. Ola Read, Miss Eula Herndon and Mrs. Wadleigh McCormick.

Mrs. Cook was a member of the Fifth Street Methodist church.

She has been residing in Pilot Grove with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Cole, since Mr. Cook passed away.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Carl Cole, Pilot Grove; one granddaughter, Marianne Cole, Pilot Grove, two sisters, Mrs. Alma Kirkpatrick, Jefferson City; Mrs. R. L. McCormick, St. Louis; one brother, E. B. Herndon, Swissvale, Pa.

Funeral services will be held at the Ewing funeral home at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon.

The Rev. H. U. Campbell, pastor of the Fifth Street Methodist church, will officiate.

Interment will be in the Cook family lot in the Memorial Park cemetery.

The body is at the funeral home.

Otto J. Roehrs

Otto J. Roehrs, 53, died at the Trinity Lutheran hospital in Kansas City, January 5. He had been in failing health for about a year and his condition became critical about a month ago.

Mr. Roberts was born in Cooper county July 14, 1895, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William J. Roehrs. At the age of 22, he entered the army for World War I. He served 18 months overseas.

For the past 30 years he has made Kansas City his home. He was a general contractor and decorator. Mr. Roehrs was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers, Herman Roehrs and William Roehrs.

He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Thomas E. Rogers, of Otterville and one brother, August Roehrs.

Funeral services were held at the Wagner chapel Friday, January 7, at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon. Rev. Carl Roschke, the Lutheran pastor, read the services.

The Bussey Lincoln West Post No. 1700 Veterans of Foreign Wars had charge of the burial services at the Memorial Park cemetery.

Aubrey C. Embrey
Funeral services for Aubrey C. Embrey, who was killed in France October 23, 1944, will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the Peninsula church at the Blackwater Junction on Highway 40.

He is the son of Mrs. Zella Embrey and the late William E. Embrey; brother of Mrs. C. F. Scotten, 1629 West Sixteenth street and Eugene and Malvine Embrey of Nelson, Mo.

Mrs. Mary L. Beck

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary L. Beck, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. O. Romig, near Otterville, Wednesday afternoon, will be held at St. Joseph's church in Clifton City at 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning.

The Rev. Father J. L. Hartigan will officiate.

Twelve grandsons will serve as honorary pallbearers and active pallbearers.

Interment will be in the Clifton City cemetery.

The body was taken from the Ewing funeral home to the home of Mrs. Romig, Thursday evening, where it will remain until the hour of the service.

Mrs. Ellen Hallahan Service

Funeral services for Mrs. Ellen Hallahan, 80, of Clinton, Mo., who died Wednesday night at 9:30 at the Wetzel hospital in Clinton, Miss. Mary Beth Kesterson, Judge Kesterson and his brother, I. E. Kesterson, Jr., of Kansas City, will go to Yates Center, where they will visit their father, I. E. Kesterson.

Mrs. G. C. Moreau, 414 South Jefferson avenue, left this morning for St. Louis to spend a few days with her brothers Fred and Ed Guillault.

Mrs. Joyce Hearne, 900 South Stewart avenue, left this morning for Jefferson City where she will appear on a program. Miss Hearne, who is from England, plays the accordion.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the New Lebanon church north of Otterville with the Rev. H. A. Wood, pastor of the Otterville Methodist church officiating.

Interment will be in the New Lebanon cemetery.

Gift of Baptismal Font to Church

Sunday morning at the regular worship service a beautiful Baptismal font will be dedicated in the Fifth Street Methodist church. The Baptismal font is the gift of the K. P. McCrary family and was made of cherry wood by Fred Boch, to match in color and design of the Communion Table given in memory of the late G. S. Leisenring in 1942 and the pulpit carved and presented by Mrs. George H. Mackey in 1929.

Reynolds took off today after a trip to Europe to sell six factories to a Swedish syndicate.

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Scenes at Lumber Yard Fire



Some candid shots taken of activities at the Looney-Bloess lumber yard fire Thursday night by Bill Padgett.

Ban "The Iron Curtain"

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 21.—(P)—The American film, "The Iron Curtain," was banned today in the Netherlands by the government board of film censors.

The announcement did not give the reasons. The film deals with Canadian spy ring.

Variable Date

Arbor Day, celebrated in April or early May in northern states, is observed in February, January, or even December, in the southern states, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

For Ambulance Service Ph. 8

Side Glances



"I'm surprised at you, George, picking on a smaller boy—
you get right up and come home with me this minute!"

Loss of Lumber By Fire

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of the street circuit was cut off.

All four fire trucks were used and all fire crewmen were on duty. Those who were not on duty and unable to be contacted, but heard about the fire, arrived on the scene. Police officers, and highway patrol were on duty. Traffic was blocked on Washington avenue between Main street and Third street, where hoses were connected to fire plugs. The Washington viaduct was blocked off. At intervals, smoke was so dense within a block's area that it was impossible to see anything.

Visible Long Distance

Sparks and burning embers endangered some of the nearby residences and other buildings as the lurid flames leaped skyward and the illumination from the fire was visible for a long distance.

The company had large quantities of paints and other supplies and the blaze reaching where they were stored caused it to flare up with more intensity. Two trucks were in the building. One was said to have been new.

Move Out Furniture

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Whittington, 119 South Washington avenue, occupying the house just across the alley from the lumber yard, had all their furniture moved out of the lower part of the house. The furniture was carried in the yard of Leonard Woolery, next door neighbor. The Whittington home was scorched on the north side, and practically every window was broken on that side. Window shades curled up from the intense heat.

Three hundred members answered roll call with a household hint.

The club was opened by the new president, Mrs. Carl Raines, with the club reading the Club collect, which was followed by repeating the Lord's Prayer as the devotional.

Mrs. Raymond Hurt and Mrs. John Greer then sang the Song of Peace, which is the club song for the year 1949.

Contests and games were played with Mrs. Earl Schroeder as game leader.

The meeting closed with the hostess serving refreshments.

The February meeting will be with Mrs. O. L. Latimer and Mrs. John M. Anderson.

Fined For Running Over Fire Hose

Six persons were fined five dollars in police court this morning for running automobiles over fire hoses at different localities blocked off near the fire at Looney-Bloess Lumber Company, 400 East Main street, Thursday night.

They were: Harold L. Silberstein, 421 West Seventh street; Earl Branstetter, 712 East Eighteenth street; Richard Roderick, 115 South Linnean avenue, George E. Bryant, 232 East Walnut street, Gurnee G. Morris, 1223 East Sixth street, and Gene Glenn, 404 West Fifth street.

Salvation Army members were there passing out hot coffee and sandwiches.

Six persons were arrested by police for running over fire hoses.

Fire in 1923

On Saturday morning about 2:05 o'clock, April 14, 1923, fire destroyed the Looney and Bloess Lumber company at Main street and Washington avenue, at which time four horses were burned to death. The fire also damaged residences in the immediate neighborhood and destroyed the contents of the T. H. Sims plumbing shop in the rear of his house at 401 West Second street.

Mr. Sims heard the barking of his dogs, saw the fire, and turned in the alarm at 2:05 o'clock in the morning. Three minutes later Fire Chief Frank Kaler and members of the two fire departments were there fighting the fire.

Origin of the fire could not be ascertained but damage was estimated between \$60,000 and \$70,000. The firm of Looney and Bloess estimated the loss at between \$50,000 and \$60,000, the horses and their harness being valued at \$1,000 in the 1923 fire.

McMath Cancels Engagement

LITTLE ROCK, Jan. 21.—(P)—Governor McMath will not be on hand in St. Joseph, Mo., tonight to receive his award as one of the 10 outstanding young men of America."

The Governor had planned to make the trip by plane, but weather conditions this morning made it impossible for flight clearance to be obtained.

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Basketball Has Birthday

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NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—(P)—Basketball bounced past another birthday last night without much as a timeout being called to blow out the candles.

It's now a big, gawky youngster.

The game was born Jan. 20, 1892. That's when Dr. James A. Naismith, physical director of Y. M. C. A. college in Springfield, Mass., hung up the peach baskets and let the boys take aim.

Dr. Naismith, who died in 1939 in Lawrence, Kas., at the age of 79, would hardly recognize his brainchild today.

Basketball is the world's No. 1 spectator sport. Between 75,000,000 and 90,000,000 pay to watch the games annually.

In the number of players it is building back to its pre-war peak when 20,000,000 throughout the world participated.

Club Meets at Raines Home

The Daily Washington Merry-Go-Round

by Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON. Jan. 21.—Without benefit of flash bulbs or fanfare, an important southern congressman has put civil rights to work on a voluntary basis.

Congressman Henderson Lanham of Rome, Georgia, who believes in cooperation with Negroes but doesn't like laws forcing cooperation, walked into the office of the leading Negro member of Congress, William Dawson of Chicago, the other day and offered to serve under him.

Lanham is No. 3 man on the important House committee on executive expenditures, and he agreed to take a back seat to the Negro. He also had a pleasant talk with the Chicago Democrat about their boyhood back in Georgia. It developed that they had been reared only a few miles apart.

Lanham asked about Dawson's family and learned his grandparents had been slaves, once owned by the founders of Dawson, Georgia. Discussing politics, the two agreed there was no reason to let Jim Crowism keep them from working together in Congress.

"We used to play with white children," recalled Rep. Dawson.

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Administrator's Notice

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Harry Tucker Smith, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 18th day of December 1948, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to present them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letter, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims are not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 18th day of December 1948.

GERTRUDE S. BRENNEMAN,
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Attested by me this 18th day of December, 1948

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GERTRUDE S. BRENNEMAN,
Administrator

Attested by me this 18th day of December, 1948

J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court

John T. Martin, Attorney
12-31, 1-7, 1-14, 1-21.

No. 9897
Administrator's Notice

Notice is hereby given that Letters of

Administration on the Estate of

Henry C. Salveter, deceased, were

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College Basketball Scores
Thursday Night
By The Associated Press

East
Pennsylvania 76, Dartmouth 73 (two overtimes).
Niagara 49, Canisius 49.
New Hampshire 60, St. Anselms 57 (overtime).
Midwest
Minnesota Aggies 28, St. Louis 27 (overtime).
Bradley 96, Wayne (Mich.) 53.
Toledo 57, Baldwin-Wallace 55.
Indiana State 82, Indiana Central 77.
(Pittsburgh) Kas. 72, Rockhurst 37.
Southwest
New Mexico 60, New Mexico Aggies 49.
Arkansas Tech 59, Henderson 47.
Stephen F. Austin 55, North Texas 48.

Fights Thursday Night
By The Associated Press
ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Lee Oma, 1961½, Detroit, outpointed Angel Sotillo, 205½, Argentina, 10.
NEWARK, N. J.—Tommy Yaros, 169, Monaca, Pa., outpointed Roy Snead, 170, New York, 8.

LIBERTY
TONITE! Sat:
Cont. from 2 Sat:
3 Unit
Adventure
Program!

THE DENVER KID
HORROR
ALLAN ROCKY LANE
AND HIS STALLION
BLACK HORSE
PLUS!

**The New Palomino in
DEVIL'S CARGO**
9:05
TONITE
CONT. SAT.
John CALVERT
And!
Western Featurette!
IN FLAMING TECHNICOLOR
Also!
Final Episode—... of
Frank and Jesse James!

Fifteen Teams Have Entered Tournament

Starts January 15; Sponsored By Lions Club

Fifteen outstanding independent basketball teams have entered the second annual Missouri Independent Basketball Championship tournament sponsored by the Sedalia Lions club, which will be held in Sedalia the last week in January.

This will be a 15-team invitational tournament running from January 25 to January 29 inclusive at the Liberty park Convention hall.

Lloyd Phillips, general chairman of the Sedalia Lions basketball tournament committee, has announced the teams and their lineup for Tuesday and Wednesday nights.



Foster McGuire, six foot, two inch center playing with the Knob Noster Merchants, will be seen in action at the M. I. B. C. Tournament at Convention Hall, Liberty park, starting January 25 through 29. McGuire was leading scorer on his high school team last year.

Tuesday, Green Ridge and Windsor will play at 6:30 o'clock. Conway vs. Clinton at 8 o'clock. Knob Noster vs. La Monte at 9:30 o'clock and Rolla vs. Warsaw at 10:45 o'clock.

Wednesday night, Napton vs. Houston at 7:00 o'clock; Sedalia vs. Tipton at 8:30 o'clock and California vs. Warrensburg at 10 o'clock with Kennett drawing a bye.

Thursday night the quarterly finals will be played and then the semi-finals Friday night.

Saturday night, the finals and consolation games will be played. The first game will start at 8:30 o'clock to give merchants and their employees time to get to the two games that night.

Aggies Toppled St. Louis Univ.

STILLWATER, Okla., Jan. 21.—(P)—Folks down here say it takes a miracle for a basketball team to whip the Oklahoma A&M Aggies on their home floor.

And today the St. Louis University Billikens, rated the nation's No. 1 squad, are thinking it — if not saying it, too.

A standing room only crowd of 9,600 saw the Aggies topple the Bills from the country's unbeaten ranks last night by the low, narrow score of 29 to 27 in a one-period overtime game.

St. Louis came to town confident of victory. Coach Eddie Hickey said earlier this week he was not bringing his team here "to play mumblety-pegs — we're going to win at Stillwater this week."

A&M Coach Hank Iba wasn't talking. He just said the "game is in the hands of the boys."

The Aggies, ranked No. 5 in the Associated Press first nationwide basketball poll, have lost only eight games out of 136 played here in 14 years.

A&M trailed 14 to 12 at the halftime last night and didn't even go into the lead until seven minutes of the second half had been played.

Marty Crandell of Jersey City, N. J., is called a bright heavyweight prospect by Coach Roy Simmons, Syracuse university boxing mentor.

Lynn Chandnois, rangy Flint Mich., right halfback, was Michigan State college's leading football scorer last season with 12 touchdowns for 72 points.

1 S-burner, built-in oven, Perfection kerosene stove

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1 Dining room suite

1 Kitchen table

1 Kitchen cabinet

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1 Walnut 5-piece bedroom suite, good

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1 Rocker to match

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1 Antique table

1 New all wool rug, 8x12

1 New rug pad

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Sedalia, Mo., Friday,

January 21, 1949

Carnival



By Dick Turner

S-C Football Team Is Given A Banquet

Guests Of Sedalia C. Of C. At Repast Thursday Night

The Smith-Cotton Tigers and coaching staff were honored guests to a football banquet, sponsored by the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce, Thursday night at the Bothwell hotel.

Over a hundred business men and women of Sedalia, interested in the team were in attendance. Don Farout, football coach of Missouri University was a special guest, and gave a brief talk on the importance of education and the type of school a boy picks to get the most of what he wants in his studies, and to play football.

Robert Overstreet, president of the Chamber of Commerce presented gold football trophies to Tiger players of the first and second team. The Smith-Cotton coaching staff, Coaches, Ralph Dow, James Ball, and Howard Glavin were also given trophies. Charles Van Dyne, former All-American was master of ceremonies.

Receive Gold Footballs

Pictures of "Gator Bowl, and the Nebraska-Missouri game were shown.

First team members of the Smith-Cotton 1948 football team receiving trophies were: Billy Sid Kenyon and Bob Schultz, co-captains, Bob Tipton, Delbert Bryant, Larry Vilmer, Bill Potter, Charles Phillips, Bill Ray, Marvin Hannigan, Gene Dowdy, Bob Ray. Second team members receiving trophies were: Billy Arnold, Bob Cahill, Donald Dowdy, Lee Eickhoff, Eugene Hargrove, Myron Herrick, Tommy Menefee, Bob Monsees, Donald Pummill, Virgil Rogers, Ted Van Natta, Billy Wheeler and Stanley Walsh.

Manager an assistant manager of the team are Don Bellmer and Cecil Monsees.

Looking Backward

• Forty Years Ago

The Rev. Harold Cooper of Marion, Ohio, who occupied the pulpit at the First Congregational church last Sunday, was called to the pastorate of that church. He succeeds the Rev. James Parsons, resigned.

Harry Suter, a Sedalia ball player, son of George Suter, who has been playing ball with the San Francisco club in the Pacific Coast league, has signed a contract to play with the Chicago White Sox in the American league. His salary will be \$450 monthly.

Ira McDaniels sold the Delmar hotel building and contents at Main street and Lamine avenue to E. Stafford, a business man of Jordan, Mo. The consideration was \$23,000.

John Montgomery, Jr., returned this afternoon from a business visit at Jefferson City.

One hundred couples attended the annual ball of Prairie Queen Lodge No. 18, B. of R. T., given at Liberty park Thursday night. The Second Regiment orchestra furnished the music.

Quick on the Gas
Engineering reports state that no serious trouble is indicated if an automobile rumbles when accelerated, this noise usually being due to accelerating too quickly.

Limited Vision

Thomas Jefferson was of the opinion that Washington, D. C., might have 100,000 inhabitants at the end of 100 years, and might ultimately attain a maximum population of 200,000. The District's population was listed as 663,091 in their 1940 census.

George Guerre, Michigan State's graduating backfield star, has been named assistant alumni director at the school.

In his 22 seasons as head basketball coach at Michigan State college, Ben Van Alstyne has had only three losing teams.

George Washington university basketball squad plays 23 games this season.

Jungle Beast

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28 Opposed

crests

43 Abraham's

home

44 Meadows

45 Wash

46 Paradise

47 Fruit

52 Type measure

54 Road (ab.)

1 Unclosed

4 Italian river

5 Jason's ship

6 Tumult

7 Rush

8 Foreteller

9 Postscript

10 Greek mount

11 German

12 Shows

13 Contempt

14 Compass point

15 It is found in

16 Horses

17 Smear

18 Prosecute

19 Wrongdoing

20 Different

21 Consumed

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25 Browns

26 Thus

27 It feeds</

Student Dies Of Bullet Wound
TULSA, Okla., Jan. 21—(AP)—John J. Sheehan, 21, of Emporia, Kas., a University of Tulsa Music student, died Thursday night without regaining consciousness from what police said was a self-inflicted bullet wound.

Wholesale Beer License
Thursday, the county court granted a wholesale beer license to Stevens Distributing company, 619 East Fifth street. The license is to expire, December 31, 1949.

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FARRIS' FANCY FRYERS	lb. 61¢
CUDAHY, Ready-to-Eat PICNICS	lb. 37¢
CUDAHY READY-TO-EAT HAMS, butt or shank portion	lb. 53¢
U. S. GOOD SIRLOIN or ROUND STEAK	lb. 75¢
CUDAHY PURITAN PURE PORK SAUSAGE	1-lb. roll 35¢
FAVORITE BRAND SLICED BACON	lb. 45¢
SMALL, LEAN CENTER CUT PORK CHOPS	lb. 55¢
SUGAR CURED BACON SQUARES	lb. 25¢

• FLOUR •

PRIZE LOAF	25 lb. bag 1.45
SHURFINE	25 lb. bag \$1.59
PURASNOW	25 lb. bag \$1.69
GOLD MEDAL	25 lb. bag \$1.75

• FRUITS and VEGETABLES •

NEW SOLID GREEN TEXAS CABBAGE	lb. 3¢
FULL OF JUICE GRAPEFRUIT	8 lb. bag 39¢
MUSHROOMS CRISP, TENDER CALIF.	pint carton 21¢
CARROTS UTILITY RED TRIUMPH	2 bchs. 15¢
POTATOES U. S. NO. 1 YELLOW	50 lb. bag \$1.59
ONIONS FANCY GOLDEN RIPE	3 lbs. 10¢
BANANAS FIRM, RED RIPE	2 lbs. 19¢
TOMATOES	cello carton 19¢

• GROCERY DEPT. •

GREEN GIANT PEAS STANDARD QUALITY	303 cans 35¢
TOMATOES PURE GRANULATED	2 No. 2 cans 25¢
SUGAR JUNGLE'S SALTY CRACKERS KRAFT	10 lbs. 83¢
DINNER WHITE, WHOLE GRAIN HOMINY MIRACLE WHIP	2 lb. box 35¢
SALAD DRESSING	2 pkgs. 25¢
PURE LARD	3 No. 300 cans 19¢
PARKAY MARGARINE	pt. jar 33¢
	4 lb. carton 66¢
	lb. 31¢

Prices Effective Friday, Saturday and Monday, January 21, 22 and 24

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BETTER FOODS FOR LESS
206 W. MAIN SEDALIA, MO.

LOW PRICES EVERY DAY

Ball With a Capital B— Only 5,300 Are Admitted

By Ruth Cowan

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21—(AP)—Everybody wanted to dance at President Truman's inaugural ball Thursday night, but only 5,300 got to.

The fire department turned the rest away.

Fire regulations say a maximum of 5,300 persons in the armory, and 5,300 it was.

This wasn't just another Washington dance. It was a ball with a capital B. The President let it be known long ago that he'd be there, with his wife, Bess, and

daughter Margaret. Foreign diplomats accepted too, along with supreme court justices, cabinet members and most of the high brass in the army, navy and air force.

A revolving stage made it possible for Benny Goodman's, Xavier Cugat's and Guy Lombardo's orchestras to spell one another at 20 minute intervals.

White tie formality sent many heretofore plain citizens scurrying to the dress suit rental garages. The ladies shot the works on ball gowns, many of them specially designed for the occasion.

Mrs. Truman selected black Panne velvet with a wide circular collar encrusted with hand-drawn Alencon lace. The President's daughter wore a gown of "Margaret Pink" tulle and satin brocade.

Mrs. Max Troutt, Vice President Barkley's daughter and official hostess, chose heavy black satin bearing a chrysanthemum design embroidered in gold thread.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21—(AP)—Four high stepping Missouri mules drew cheers from Presidential inaugural parade watchers on Pennsylvania avenue Thursday.

The four mules drew a rubber tired, ranch-type light wagon and were driven by their owners, Claude (Brother) Adams of Lamar and Ed Knell of Carthage.

The two were dressed in white coveralls.

The mules, apparently realizing they were on display, did not balk, and stepped along down the avenue without causing a hitch.

The Missouri section, including the mules, was close to the head of the parade.

And there was a postscript written in Carter's neat, precise hand:

"The doctor thinks it would be best for you to come as soon as you can."

Concerned, Kin saw her on the plane, and promised to telephone Mike and explain. She had tried to call him, but had been unable to locate him, and so she had to go without seeing him.

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Beware of Romance

By Roberta Courtland

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SUSAN's letters were increasingly reproachful of Merry's stay in New York, and just before Christmas she wrote plaintively that it was the first Christmas since Merry was born that she had not been with her mother for the holiday season. But Kin pointed out, with reason, that it was the same for him; and Merry wrote Susan that she would be back shortly after Christmas. Susan's tearful letter would have spoiled the holiday season for Merry, except that she was caught up in a bright, spangled web of gaiety that left her little time to weep.

Mike turned up a day or so after what Merry felt was the outrageous scene with her father, and behaved exactly as usual, neither referring to the scene again, nor repeating his insistence that she promise to marry him.

And then a few days after Christmas, another letter came from Susan that sent Merry packing, frightened, anxious.

I don't want to upset you, darling, and I hate breaking into the fun and good times you are having, but I am not at all well, and I miss you so much. The doctor says there's nothing very badly wrong with me except my nerves, but I do want to see you before we never know, do we, darling?

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By the time the Jacksonville plane came in and Merry went aboard, she felt relaxed and happy and hopeful.

In Jacksonville it was Andrew who waited for her, in her own

longer be distinguished in the little group of people, and then wept a little and braced herself for what she might find when she reached St. Vincent's....

THE plane came down at Marshallville and just before Christmas she saw Tip, who was waiting and watching anxiously. She was so glad to see him that she flung herself impulsively into his arms and Tip held her close for a moment, before he smiled at her and said, "I've just talked to your mother by long distance. The news that you are coming home has done her a world of good. And I've got a ticket for you on the Jacksonville plane that leaves in an hour and 40 minutes and they are meeting you in Jax. Your father called me."

Merry keyed up and tense from eight hours of frantic anxiety on the plane, went limp in Tip's arms, and he gave her a little shake and said with warm tenderness, "Hi, none of that, now. Your mother's not in any danger at all. She's just lonesome for you, and you'll be with her by dinner time. Come on and have a bite to eat and tell me what the big city is like. Incidentally, you look as if you'd just stepped straight from the cover of one of those 75-cent fashion magazines. All grown up like and too beautiful for words."

Merry laughed gaily and clung to him, and in the little lunchroom across from Marshallville's busy, ambitious airport, they laughed and talked and told each other news of their activities. Merry told herself shyly that Tip had "grown up like" too and was also more attractive than ever. And insensibly the picture of Mike Channing faded a little.

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I Announcements

3-In Memoriam
IN MEMORY OF Mrs. Pearl Dutton, who passed away January 22, 1949. Dear loved one in Heaven, we miss you. This heartache is so hard to bear. We'll cherish your memory forever, until we're reunited up there. Sadly missed by all the family.

FLOWERS

Express Consolation,
Give Comfort

Pfeiffer's Flower Shop

6-Monuments and Cemetery Lots

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7-Persons

RAWLEIGH'S PRODUCTS: Sold at 1214 East 6th. Phone 2103-W

WATKINS PRODUCTS: Store 812 West 16th. Phone 1011. Powell Cain.

BIRTH CERTIFICATES secured for all states. Berger, 612 East Broadway.

SHABBY furniture looks new when the new laboratory tested Fina Foam is applied. Rosenthal's Basement.

KANSAS CITY STAR AND TIMES: Morning, evening and Sunday issues (13 issues per week) 35¢ a week; \$1.52 a month. Phone Kansas City Star 292 Sedalia.

RUMMAGE SALE

Saturday, January 22nd
20½ South Ohio
Entrance Between

Sage's and Vogue Shop

10—Strayed, Lost, Found

STRAYED: FOX TERRIER. Tuesday. Reward: \$19 East 6th. Phone 1659-R.

LOST: RONSON CIGARETTE LIGHTER. Initials V. A. S. Reward. Phone 1814-J.

FOUND: Rimless gold frame glasses left at Independent Plumbing Company, 109 South Kentucky. Phone 651.

II Automotive

1940 CHEVROLET for Sale, 5 passenger, heater, defroster, reasonable. Phone 627-J.

1940 OLDSMOBILE, 98, 4-door. Radio, heater, defroster, spotlight, new motor. Phone 796.

JEEP SPECIALS

New 1949 Willys Jeep (Universal). Just arrived \$1,498.

New 1949 Willys 4-wheel drive 3½ ton pickup.

New 1948 Jeepster, \$100 discount.

New 1948 Jeep Panel \$100 discount.

1948 Used Jeep, \$200 discount.

1948 Universal Jeep, \$50 discount.

1948 CHEVROLET Town Sedan.

1947 MERCURY Sedan.

1946 CHEVROLET 1½-ton Truck.

1941 CHEVROLET 1½-ton Pickup.

1938 DODGE 3½-ton Pickup.

1938 DODGE Sedan.

1938 PLYMOUTH Coupe.

1937 FORD Pickup.

1937 PONTIAC Convertible.

1937 FORD Tudor.

1936 DODGE Tudor.

1936 PLYMOUTH Tudor.

1932 FORD Tudor.

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Excellent Condition.

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At 500 West Main Street in Sedalia will give a

\$50.00 Discount

on all cars we have on

Saturday, January 22nd

if you bring this ad with you. We will not try to describe our cars—for seeing is believing, and to appreciate them you must see them.

Remember, we have it, so if you don't see what you want—Just ask!

HAMILTON MOTOR CO.

500 West Main Street.
Sedalia, Mo. Phone 4633

This Special Offer

is good only

Saturday, January 22nd.

... and only if you bring this ad. No more than one ad will be accepted from any customer.

THE SEDALIA DEMOCRAT

Sedalia, Mo., Friday, January 21, 1949

II. Automotive

11—Automobiles for Sale

Continued:

1929 NASH: \$100.00. Phone 1429-J.

1937 FORD COACH: Main and Park.

1941 OLDSMOBILE: A-1 condition.

Phone 4479.

GOOD USED CARS: Cheap Decker Used Cars, 15th and Ohio

1937 FORD: Extra clean. 2118 East Broadway. Phone 4483-J.

OLDER MODEL CARS bought, sold and traded. 2118 East Broadway.

1940 PLYMOUTH DeLuxe sedan, \$750. Like new. \$300 down 4270-J.

LATE MODEL CHEVROLET Quick sale. 1616 West Broadway. Phone 5477-J.

1935 FORD COUPE: Good condition and good tires. radio. 818 East 6th. Phone 3344-J.

1935 FORD SEDAN, good condition, radio and heater, good tires. \$235.

1940 OLDSMOBILE 66 tubes, extra clean, Kinder Automotive Service, 116 South Lamina. Phone 218 or 1451-W.

1938 CHEVROLET COACH: Radio, heater. Perfect condition. See Gen. Glass at Ted's Cigar Store, 121½ East 3rd. Phone 4285.

12—Auto Trucks for Sale

WOMAN WILL CARE FOR children in your home. 3044-R.

KITCHEN HELPER WANTS WORK: Days. Write Box 363 care Democrat.

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VI. Instruction

4C—Instruction Male or Female

18—Business Services Offered

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PEABODY RADIO SERVICE: 25 years at 1319 South Osage. Phone 854.

HALL REFRIGERATOR SERVICE: Commercial and domestic. Phone 4479.

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CONCRETE WORK: WANTED. Phone 2937 Mac Crafton, 1806 South Missouri.

UPHOLSTERING, slipcovering: John Miller Upholstering Shop, 613 Sedalia. Phone 5248-W-1 or 5111-W-3. Chancery.

REFRIGERATION SERVICE: Bailes Refrigeration Company, 114 East Main. Phone 420.

WASHER SERVICE: We repair all makes of washers. Call 2002. Middleton Gun Shop, 321 Main. Phone 3431.

REFRIGERATION SERVICE: Household and commercial. All makes and models. Phone 4251-W. Stuart Refrigeration Service.

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VIII. Merchandise

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Jail Keys Out of Plastic
BETHANY, Mo., Jan. 21—(P)—
Sheriff Fred Daily said yesterday he had found jail-door keys, whittled out of plastic combs, in the possession of two prisoners. One key "worked slick as a whistle." The other was broken.

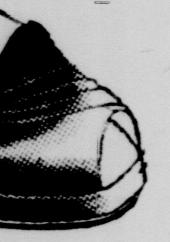
Bachelor Farmer Freezes To Death
LIBERTY, Mo., Jan. 21—(P)—
Searchers yesterday found the frozen body of Wesley V. Owens, 79, in a pasture near his home west of here.
The search for the bachelor farmer started Wednesday after neighbors noticed his absence from his home late Tuesday. Dr. O. S. Pate, coroner said Owens apparently became lost in the snowstorm Tuesday and froze to death.

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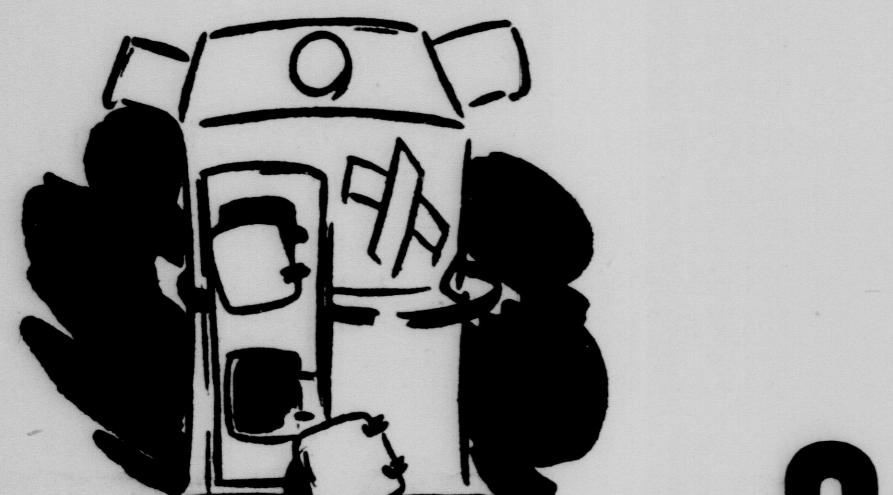


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Sedalia, Mo., Friday,
January 21, 1949

Junior C. of C. To Honor Ten

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Jan. 21—(P)—
The U. S. Junior Chamber of Commerce tonight will honor the 10 young men selected by the National Jaycee as being the most outstanding in 1948.

The men will be presented ruby-studded keys and hand-painted plaques at the organization's annual distinguished service dinner.

They are: Frank P. Zeidler, 36, mayor of Milwaukee; Sidney S. McMath, 36, governor of Arkansas; George A. Smathers, 35, Florida congressman; Lou Boudreau, 31, player-manager of the Cleveland Indians; Walter W. Cenerazzo, 35, Boston, president of the American Watch Makers Union; Richard N. Harris, 33, president of the Tom company; Elvis J. Stahr, Jr., 32, dean of the College of Law, University of Kentucky; Thomas Hassbrook, 28, Indianapolis, national president of the Blinded Veterans Association; Mike Gorman, 34, Oklahoma City News reporter; and Dr. Charles A. Hufnagel, 32, instructor in surgery at the Harvard Medical School.

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Number 9702

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT
Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned Administrator of the Estate of Claude Hope, deceased, will make Final Settlement of his accounts with said Estate as such Administrator at the next term of the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri, to be begun and helden at Sedalia, in said County on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1949.

SAMUEL L. HIGHLEYMAN,
Administrator.
Attorney: Lawrence Barnett.
1-14, 1-21, 1-28, 2-4.

Number 9807

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT
Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Mary Burns, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 17th day of January, 1948, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri, to be begun and helden at Sedalia, in said County on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1949.

D. S. LAMM,
Executor.
Attested by me this 17th day of January, 1948.
J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
1-21, 1-28, 2-4, 2-11.

Number 9804

Administrator's Notice
Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Ada Bagby, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 28th day of December, 1948, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executor within six months after the date of said letter or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 28th day of December, 1948.
ROBERT M. SEELEN,
Administrator.
Attested by me this 28th day of December, 1948.
J. E. SMITH,
(Seal) Judge of Probate Court,
Henry C. Salveter, Attorney.
12-31-1-7, 1-14, 1-21.

Number 9733

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT
Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned Administrator of the Estate of Ruth Milam Eisenstein, deceased, will make Final Settlement of his accounts with said Estate as such Administrator at the next term of the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri, to be begun and helden at Sedalia, in said County on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1949.

VICTOR EISENSTEIN,
Administrator.
Attorney: D. S. Lamm.
1-14, 1-21, 1-28, 2-4.

Number 9737

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT
Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned Executor of the Estate of S. A. Snow, deceased, will make Final Settlement of his accounts with said Estate as such Executor at the next term of the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri, to be begun and helden at Sedalia, in said County on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1949.

HERBERT W. MASON,
Executor.
Attorney: Frank W. Hayes.
1-14, 1-21, 1-28, 2-4.

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This, ladies and gentlemen, is a house dress, 1949 style. The off-the-shoulder model, worn by Royce Kane, was shown at the National Association of House Dress Manufacturers' meeting in New York. Note that Royce is wearing gloves. Very chic for dish-washing.

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Sedalia, Mo., Friday,
January 21, 1949

Article No. 12

Your Income Tax Primer

How to Take Advantage of Income-Splitting Plan

TAX COMPUTATION—FOR PERSONS NOT USING TAX TABLE ON PAGE 4

1. Enter amount shown in item 6, page 1. This is your Adjusted Gross Income.	\$ 6948 38
2. Enter DEDUCTIONS (if deductions are itemized above, enter the total of such deductions; if adjusted gross income (line 1, above) is \$5,000 or more and deductions are not itemized, enter the standard deduction of \$1,000 or 10 percent of line 1, above, whichever is the lesser, or \$500 if this is the separate return of a married person).	\$ 937 02
3. Subtract line 2 from line 1. Enter the difference here. This is your Net Income.	\$ 6011 36
4. Multiply \$600 by number of exemptions claimed in item 1, page 1. Enter total here.	\$ 3600 00
5. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter difference here.	\$ 2411 36
Lines 6, 7, and 8 should be filled in ONLY by a single person or a married person making a separate return.	
6. Use the tax rates shown in Instructions—first page to compute tax on amount shown in line 5 (if item 3, above, includes partially tax-exempt interest, see Instructions). Enter the tentative tax here.	
7. If line 6 is (a) not over \$400, enter 17% of amount on line 6. (b) over \$400 but not over \$10,000, enter \$68 plus 12% of the excess over \$400. (c) over \$10,000, enter \$12,020 plus 9.75% of the excess over \$10,000.	
8. Subtract line 7 from line 6. Enter the difference here. This is your combined normal tax and surtax.	
Lines 9 to 13 should be filled in ONLY if this is a joint return of husband and wife.	
9. Enter here one-half of amount on line 5, above.	
10. Use the tax rates shown in Instructions to figure your tentative tax on amount shown in line 9 (if item 3, above, includes partially tax-exempt interest, see Instructions). Enter the tentative tax here.	
11. If line 10 is (a) not over \$400, enter 17% of amount on line 10. (b) over \$400 but not over \$10,000, enter \$68 plus 12% of the excess over \$400. (c) over \$10,000, enter \$12,020 plus 9.75% of the excess over \$10,000.	
12. Subtract line 11 from line 10. Enter the difference here.	
13. Multiply amount on line 12 by 2. Enter this tax here. This is your combined normal tax and surtax.	

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the twelfth of 14 authoritative understandable articles in NEA's Annual Tax Primer, prepared by NEA's recognized authority on income-tax matters in consultation with Bureau of Internal Revenue experts. This year's primer has been completely revised. Step by step it shows the wage-earning taxpayer how to handle every item of his return with the least effort and the greatest accuracy—how to pay the smallest tax while complying with the law and regulations.

By S. BURTON HEATH
NEA Staff Correspondent

Now all your legal deductions have been recorded. Add their totals, in the right-hand column on page 3. The sum is your Total Deductions.

Compare this amount with 10% of Item 6, page 1.

If your Itemized Deductions total more than 10% of Item 6, write your own Total Deductions figure on Line 2 of the Tax Computation blank at the bottom of page 3.

If 10% of Item 6 is more than your own deductions on Line 2 enter 10% of Item 6, up to the ceiling described in the ninth article and forget your own deductions.

The Does' Itemized Deduction schedule is shown above. It would be acceptable to any Internal Revenue auditor unless, out of past experience or for some special reason, he was suspicious of John's honesty. In that case he could require John to produce written proof for every deduction. Several recent Tax Court decisions have upheld auditors who rejected small-taxpayer deductions for which there was no written proof.

Here is the new computation schedule for husbands and wives who are filing jointly to take advantage of the income-splitting privilege. The three lines not filled in are used by persons filing as individuals—who cannot split income. Those will be considered tomorrow.

It is hard to see how this form could have been made any simpler, and still comply with the complicated law. Just take each line by itself, do what it says, then go on to the next.

If the amount on Line 3 or 9 is:

Enter on Line 6 or 10:
20% of the amount on line 5 or 9
\$400, plus 22% of excess over \$4,000.
\$540, plus 26% of excess over \$4,000.
\$1,360, plus 30% of excess over \$9,000.
\$2,640, plus 34% of excess over \$14,000.
\$3,400, plus 38% of excess over \$12,000.
\$4,260, plus 42% of excess over \$14,000.
\$5,200, plus 50% of excess over \$16,000.
\$6,280, plus 54% of excess over \$18,000.
\$7,360, plus 58% of excess over \$20,000.
\$8,380, plus 62% of excess over \$22,000.
\$10,740, plus 62% of excess over \$26,000.
\$11,460, plus 65% of excess over \$32,000.
\$12,500, plus 68% of excess over \$38,000.
\$26,820, plus 75% of excess over \$50,000.
\$34,320, plus 78% of excess over \$60,000.
\$42,120, plus 81% of excess over \$70,000.
\$50,000, plus 87% of excess over \$80,000.
\$67,320, plus 90% of excess over \$100,000.
\$111,820, plus 90% of excess over \$150,000.
\$156,820, plus 91% of excess over \$200,000.

Couple alleged general indignities.

They were married, July 3, 1946, and separated, December 4, 1947, according to the petition.

Frank T. Armstrong is the attorney for the plaintiff.

Number 9706

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT
Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned Administrator of the Estate of Howard Ambrose Brown, deceased, will make Final Settlement of his accounts with said Estate as such Administrator at the next term of the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri, to be begun and helden at Sedalia, in said County on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1949.

ELLA MAF ODELL,
Administrator.
Attorney: W. W. Blain.
1-14, 1-21, 1-28, 2-4.

Number 9708

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT
Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned Executor of the Estate of W. F. Rossman, deceased, will make Final Settlement of his accounts with said Estate as such Executor at the next term of the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri, to be begun and helden at Sedalia, in said County on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1949.

CLARA BELL WEST,
Executor.
Attorney: W. W. Blain.
1-14, 1-21, 1-28, 2-4.

Number 9726

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT
Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned Administrator of the Estate of J. T. Reed, deceased, will make Final Settlement of his accounts with said Estate as such Administrator at the next term of the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri, to be begun and helden at Sedalia, in said County on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1949.

CHARLES F. MAGGARD,
Administrator DBN.
Attorney: S. P. Harlan.
1-14, 1-21, 1-28, 2-4.

Number 9727

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT
Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned Administrator of the Estate of Leona J. Kearn, deceased, will make Final Settlement of his accounts with said Estate as such Administrator at the next term of the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri, to be begun and helden at Sedalia, in said County on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1949.

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Lumber Plant Of Looney-Bloess Is Destroyed By Fire

Burns To Ground In Blaze Starting Before 3 O'Clock On Thursday Night

Looney and Bloess Lumber Company's yard, 400 East Main street, was practically destroyed by fire, Thursday night. All that remained of the two by one-half block lumber yard were a few sheds standing at the extreme east end. The main lumber building and scattered piles of lumber were completely destroyed.

The fire started between 7:30 and 8:00 o'clock, and when the fire departments arrived, nearly half of the lumber yard was ablaze, sending flames 100 feet in the air. Smoke was so dense in that area that people in nearby homes had to vacate.

It was undetermined as to how the fire started. Probably the first to see the blaze was the company's bookkeeper Ernest Van Wagner, 309 South Missouri who was in the office. He called the fire departments, and then grabbed up all valuable papers and bills and placed them in the vault. Smoke got so dense, that he had to go outside for fresh air. The fire companies received the first alarm at 7:45. Five other fire alarms were received at about the same time.

Leo Bloess, 616 West Fifth street, is president of the company.

Herman E. Bloess, 1409-West Broadway, of the lumber company, said he did not have any idea what the loss would be, at least not until inventories are taken will it be ascertained. It will amount to thousands of dollars. Persons at the fire gave estimates as high as \$100,000.

Some eye witnesses who saw the fire before the fire trucks arrived said it started in the southeast corner, and some said the middle of the yard. A south-east wind swept the flames to the front of the office building, facing Washington avenue. This is where the firemen maintained most of the hoses until getting the blaze under control about 9:15 o'clock.

When it became apparent that the blaze might endanger other property or possibly lives of some of the immense crowds that gathered for a few blocks surrounding the electric power lines were cut off. Telephone lines suffered damage due to the poles and cross arms carrying wires becoming ignited.

Intense heat coming from the blaze ignited a tire on an auto parked on the opposite side of Washington avenue.

Wires Are Cut

Herbert Schultz and D. T. Bergfelder, public service maintenance men climbed telephone poles, and cut wires loose to keep live current from circulating. The northwest section of the street circuit was cut off.

All four fire trucks were used, and all fire crewmen were on duty. Those who were not on duty and unable to be contacted, but heard about the fire, arrived on the scene. Police officers, and highway patrol were on duty. Traffic was blocked on Washington avenue between Main street and Third street, where hoses were connected to fire plugs. The Washington viaduct was blocked off. At intervals, smoke was so dense within a block's area that it was impossible to see anything.

Visible Long Distance

Sparks and burning embers endangered some of the nearby residences and other buildings as the lurid flames leaped skyward and the illumination from the fire was visible for a long distance.

The company had large quantities of paints and other supplies and the blaze reached where they (Continued on Page 4, Col. 1)

Pre-Dawn Fire Thursday In Independence

Half Block of Business Buildings Burn; Heavy Loss

INDEPENDENCE, Mo., Jan. 20—(P)—A pre-dawn fire in near-zero weather raged through a half block of business buildings in President Truman's hometown this inauguration day, causing damage estimated at more than \$400,000.

The downtown fire visible from areas in Kansas City as far as ten miles away, was only eight blocks from the summer White House.

It was one of the worst fires in more than 100 years of Independence's history. Veteran fire chief D. A. Kincaide said it was the largest loss in Independence in his 40 years as a firefighter here. He estimated the loss at \$400,000.

One Injured

One person was injured. James M. Pope, Jr., 30, smashed a finger helping his father move a safe from his jewelry store. The safe, containing several thousand dollars worth of diamonds and watches, rolled over his finger. The safe was saved.

Ten persons were evacuated from nearby buildings as the fire spread to the accompaniment of exploding small arms ammunition in a hardware store.

Despite the fire, Independence's 40,000 residents all prepared to celebrate its famous son's inauguration as president. Today was a holiday. The only thing called off was a parade. The inaugural ball was slated to go on as planned.

Five fire companies from nearby Kansas City and two from a suburban district helped four Independence companies in bringing the fire under control after a three hour before dawn battle in three above zero temperature.

Windows Blown Out

Windows were blown out by the small arms ammunition explosions. Electric lights went off momentarily. Three brick buildings — one three stories and the others two stories — were destroyed. Several other businesses were damaged by smoke and water.

A revolving stage made it pos-

Ruins Of Looney-Bloess Lumber Yard



(Padgett Photo)

Fire fighters of the Sedalia companies man hose lines at the fire Thursday night destroying the building of the lumber company to prevent the blaze spreading to nearby residences and other property. Dense clouds of smoke are shown in the picture.

Ball With Capital B--5,300 Are Admitted

By Ruth Cowan

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20—(P)—Everybody wanted to dance at President Truman's inaugural ball tonight, but only 5,300 got to.

The fire department turned the rest away.

Fire regulations say a maximum of 5,300 persons in the armory, and 5,300 it was.

This wasn't just another Washington dance. It was a ball with a capital B. The President let it be known long ago that he'd be there, with his wife, Bess, and daughter Margaret. Foreign diplomats accepted too, along with supreme court justices, cabinet members and most of the high brass in the army, navy and air force.

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Bothwell Hospital Notes

Admitted for tonsillectomy: Miss Edna Vaughn, 1416 South Kentucky avenue.

Admitted for medical treatment: Miss Mary Frances Siegel, Florence.

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Woodland Hospital Notes

Dismissed: Evelyn Sue Smith, 808 East Eighteenth street and Mrs. Shirley Campbell, Green Ridge, Route 2.

Evacuates from the residential building were being cared for by Red Cross workers who set up an emergency station in the sub-freezing temperatures.

The fire shot flames high into the sky. They could be seen in downtown Kansas City ten miles away.

Business Houses Destroyed

Businesses destroyed included

two hardware stores, an office equipment company, a jewelry shop, a printing company, a sewing machine shop, a dry goods store and store rooms.

Dismissed: A. J. C. Penney company store, a tavern and a cafe were damaged by smoke and water.

Attending Gov. Smith's reception also were Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Hayes of this city and Miss Eva Jane Lewis, former Sedalian, now of Washington.

"One of the waiters at the Shoreham hotel," said Scruton, "told me he'd rather have Missourians for guests than any other folks."

"Don't tell me that," Scruton said he told him, "you tell everybody that I suppose."

"No," he said the waiter explained. "I've waited on many Missourians, at private and public parties. They kid me, but they're nice to me and, too, it seems like they are just real people."

As the two cars swung out of the Capitol driveway, a swelling roar of cheers went up from the crowds that lined the plaza and filled the inaugural stands.

Mrs. Truman and Margaret were in a third open car, directly behind the president and vice-president.

The dull boom of the presidential salute sounded in the distance as the parade got under way.

Fleet of Limousines

Down in front of the White House, a fleet of limousines drove up and unloaded members of the White House staff, visiting dignitaries, and stars of the entertainment world.

A section of the iron fence around the White House grounds was removed so Mr. Truman and his family and guests could get to the reviewing stand.

Mr. Truman, obviously enjoying himself tremendously, watched the rest of the procession from the elevated reviewing stand.

The temperature, under an unexpected sun, had risen to nearly 46 degrees.

The general public was barred from the Episcopal church just a block north of the White House.

The President, a Baptist,

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Steers Smother In Haystack

KEARNEY, Mo., Jan. 20—(P)—W. C. Petty discovered yesterday that four 700-pound steers had smothered in a haystack.

His cattle had eaten their way deep into the haystack. Petty said, when weight of the heavy snowfall caused stack to collapse, burying 11 steers.

Student Dies Of Bullet Wound

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 20—(P)—John J. Sheehan, 21, of Emporia, Kas., a University of Tulsa Music student, died to-night without regaining consciousness from what police said was a self-inflicted bullet wound.

HARRY S. TRUMAN, President

ALBEN W. BARKLEY, Vice-President

Oath Is Taken In Biggest Inaugural Ever In The Nation

Truman Rides In Triumph Down Avenue at Head Of Great Parade

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20—(P)—The mightiest crowd and the greatest parade in the proud history of famous Pennsylvania avenue heralded Harry S. Truman's inauguration today.

The chief of police estimated that more than 1,000,000 people saw the parade. The estimate seemed exceptionally liberal, since the parade route was only a mile and a half long.

The temperature wasn't far above freezing and there was a wintry wind. Nevertheless the crowd maintained a holiday mood.

Block by block, they roared at a warm and friendly greeting at the first sight of Mr. Truman.

Mostly solemn of face, the silk-hatted President rode beside Vice President Alben W. Barkley at the head of the parade, from the capital to the White House.

There they and their families dismounted to watch the rest of the procession from special stands.

Grand Marshal Omar N. Bradley, army chief of staff, being cycle-riding led the parade just ahead of the President and Vice President.

It was an ideal day for the two and one-half hours of pageantry that had been building up for weeks. The weather was crisp, cold and sunny.

In his inaugural address, he urged the United States to continue its program for world economy recovery.

Strengthening of freedom-loving nations against aggression.

By Roger D. Greene

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20—(P)—A "bold new program" of foreign economic development headed a course of action outlined by President Truman in his inaugural address today.

He said the United States must make its scientific advances and industrial progress available "for the improvement and growth of underdeveloped areas."

The other points he lined out for the four years ahead: Continued and "unfaltering" support of the United Nations.

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AN HOUR Late

Due to start at 1 o'clock, the inaugural parade did not get under way until almost 2 p. m. (EST).

The oath-taking ceremonies on the capitol steps, witnessed by some 130,000 persons, ran nearly a half hour behind schedule.

Then Mr. Truman, who was up at dawn for a breakfast with his World War I buddies of Battery D, stopped for a quick lunch at han

and turkey in the capitol before getting into an open car for the salient point in the vast program he outlined.

In blunt and scornful tones, the President lashed out against Communism as a "false philosophy" and a breeder of war. The nation, he said, is entering a period that will be "seventful, perhaps decisive, for us and for all the world."

Oath Under Sunny Skies

Standing under sparkling, sunny skies, Mr. Truman took the oath for a new, four-year term at 12:29 p. m. EST, before an estimated crowd of 130,000 spectators massed on the capitol plaza.

A few minutes earlier, Senator Alben W. Barkley, 71-year-old Kentuckian who was born in a log cabin, had been sworn in as vice-president.

Promptly at 12:30 p. m., while batteries of radio microphones carried his words out across the country and to foreign lands, the once Missouri farm boy who became President launched into a fighting speech against Communism and for "peace, plenty and freedom."

Signalling the Start of the Historic Procession

Following the start of the historic procession, an armada of warplanes led by six lumbering six-engined B-36s flew a north-west course over the flag-and-bunting-decked city.

It was the biggest flotilla of aircraft ever to sweep across Washington—700 air force and navy planes of all types.

Salute

Riding behind the grand marshal's open car, President Truman and Vice-President Barkley got a sendoff from members of Congress who stayed in the specially erected grand stands to see the parade start.

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Cloudy and Warmer Friday

Crackling bursts of applause greeted the President's indictment of Communism—undoubtedly his strongest pronouncement on foreign policy since he took over the White House upon the death of Franklin D. Roosevelt, April 12, 1945.

Each time he spoke the word "Communism," his voice was loaded with angry scorn.

"Communism," he said, "holds that the world is so widely divided into opposing classes that war is inevitable."

"Democracy holds that free na-

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Kansas Citian Instantly Killed; Wreck

Tragedy Occurs On Highway 50 West Of Dresden

Harry A. Horowitz, a 53-year-old traveling salesman of Kansas City, was instantly killed in an automobile-truck accident on highway 50, two miles west of Dresden, Saturday afternoon about 3:15 o'clock.

His wife, Mrs. Leilia Horowitz, was admitted to the Bothwell hospital and was treated for minor injuries about the face. The couple was enroute to Kansas City, after leaving St. Louis that day. Mr. Horowitz hadn't been feeling too well, and asked his wife to meet him in St. Louis to accompany him home. They were staying at the LaSalle hotel in Kansas City.

Orville E. Petree, 24, 1211 East Broadway, was headed toward Sedalia coming from Knob Noster, after unloading his truck there. The truck, a 1946 Ford, owned by M. W. Harmon, of this city, according to Petree's statement to Sgt. William Barton and Trooper Pete Stohr, skidded on the black top pavement before colliding with the Horowitz automobile, a 1946 Plymouth sedan.

Eye Witnesses

R. S. and J. D. Black, brothers, who are deputy sheriffs of Jackson county, were eye witnesses of the accident. They were driving behind the Horowitz car.

The front and side of the vehicles were badly damaged. George Chamberlain towed the truck and automobile to Sedalia.

Several suits and other garments, and suitcases were taken out of the Plymouth by highway patrolmen. These were locked up in the sheriff's office at the court house.

Mr. Horowitz was a salesman for several New York firms.

Coroner Gordon Stauffacher examined the body at Parkers' home at LaMonte. The coroner said the accidental death was due to skull fracture.

Jay Glazer of Kansas City, a relative, drove to Sedalia after the accident, took Mrs. Horowitz to Kansas City that night.

Sheriff John Taylor and his deputies went to the accident and made an investigation.

Robbery At Henri's Tavern

Police received a report Saturday that Henri's Tavern at 701 West Main street was broken into between closing time early Saturday morning and noon that day.

Seven cases of beer and ten fifths of whiskey were stolen according to reports made to the police. Officers who made an investigation say that entry was gained by prying the weather boarding off the southwest corner of the building.

Pilfer or pilfers crawled through a small hole and opened the rear door. A juke box was broken and an unsuccessful attempt was made in getting money from the machine.

Mrs. Opal Naylor, managing the tavern for Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mos, who are vacationing in Florida, said when she opened up Saturday noon, the first thing she noticed was the broken juke box. She said the hole left in the wall was covered with a booth.

Blocked Sewer Drain Floods Underpass

A sewer drain, blocked with fallen limbs and other debris collected from the storm, caused the East Broadway underpass to flood over with water from Saturday's rain and thawing ice.

James I. Collins, city engineer was notified. A fire truck was sent to the underpass to pump water away from the street. Crewmen manned hoses for nearly three hours. Six sections of hose were used to throw the water further down Broadway.

Earlier that afternoon several cars and trucks were flooded and stalled on the flooded street of the underpass.

Dewey Short To Talk At Banquet

Dewey Short, Republican representative in Congress from the seventh congressional district of Missouri, will be the principal speaker at the annual McKinley Day banquet in Sedalia, January 29, Carl G. Schrader, chairman of the Republican city and county committees, announced Saturday.

The banquet will be held at 6:30 o'clock in the evening, in the Ambassador room of the Bothwell hotel.

Committees assigned to various duties in connection with the affair will be announced the latter part of this week by Schrader.

H. J. Bergmann In 'Victory' Div.

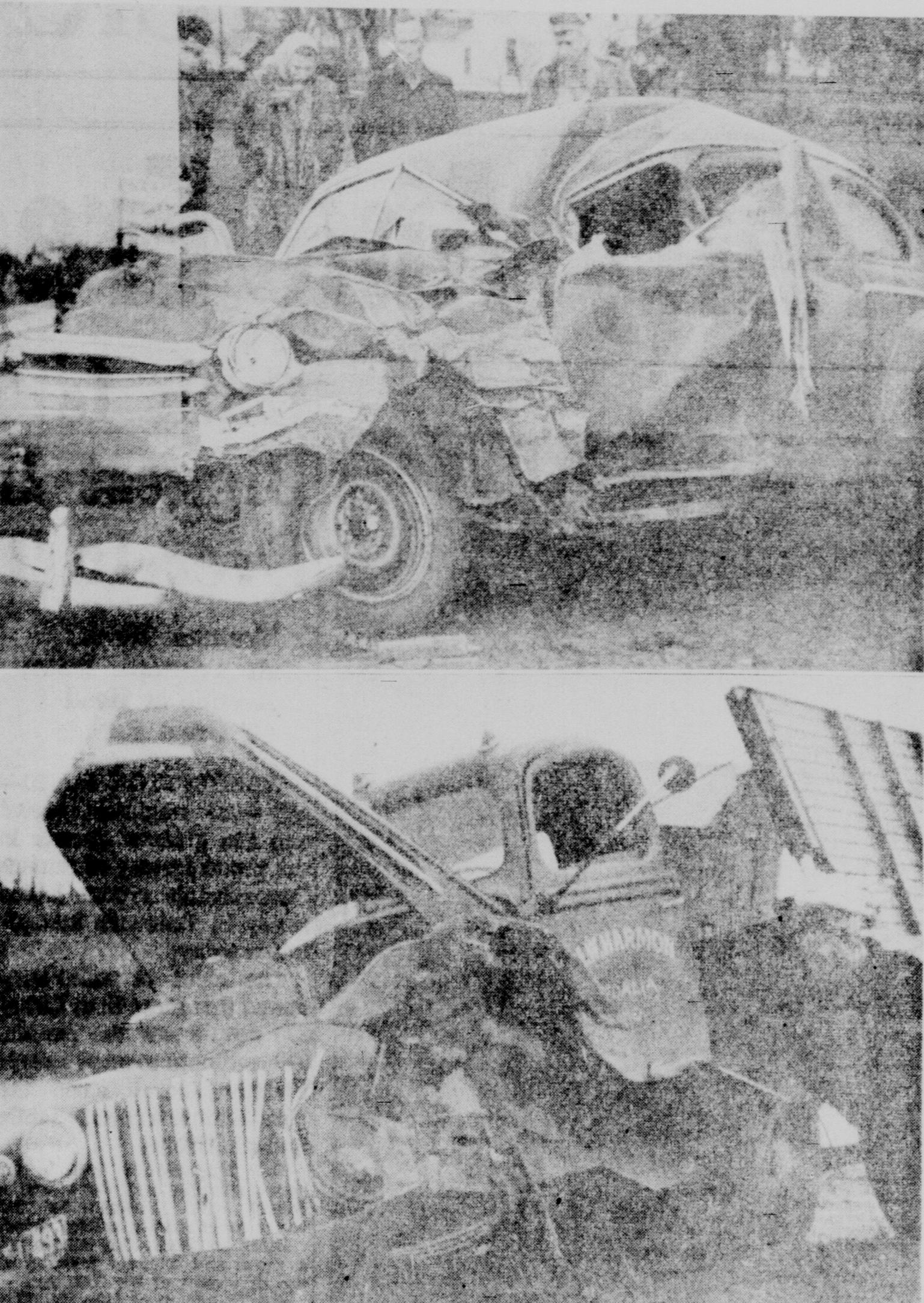
Recruit Harold J. Bergmann, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bergmann of 714 East Eighteenth street, Sedalia, Mo., has been assigned to the Fifth Armored "Victory" division for eight weeks of basic training.

Reactivated July 6, 1948, the Fifth Armored "Victory" division hung up a brilliant war record in six European campaigns during World War II. Before the end of 1949 Camp Chaffee is expected to have 20,000 troops, making it the largest Army training center in the nation.

Before entering the Army, Recruit Bergmann was employed by Pittsburgh Glass company as a machine boy.

He is now assigned to Co. C, 34th Medium tank battalion.

Cars In Collision Fatal To Kansas Citian



Pictured are two vehicles which were badly damaged following a semi-head-on collision, resulting in accidental death to Harry A. Horowitz, of Kansas City, Saturday afternoon, two miles west of Dresden on Highway 50. Above is a 1946 Plymouth sedan. It was being driven to Kansas City. Riding in the car at the time of the accident were Mr. and Mrs. Horowitz. Below is a 1946 Ford 1½ ton truck. It was being driven to Sedalia from Knob Noster by Orville Petree, 1211 East Broadway. Owner of the truck is M. W. Harmon of Sedalia. (Photos by George E. Chamberlain)

Planning For Meeting By 4-H Clubs

Before Program Is Fixed Select The Extra Activities

Well planned yearly programs will add much to the success of Pettis County 4-H club meetings in 1949.

With reorganization work completed in most clubs, committees are planning the club activities for the coming year. In order to make the program a satisfactory one and make meetings interesting, the program should be based on the needs and interests of the members. As in any other organization, the members should be given an opportunity to participate in the meetings. This will help develop leadership as well as share the responsibilities of leadership.

Before planning the yearly program the 4-H club should select the extra activities which will be carried for the year. Extra activities include first aid, everyday courtesies, grooming, posture, safety, wildlife conservation, and music appreciation. After the one or two extra activities to be emphasized have been selected, the program committee can fit the activity into each month's meeting. This can be done by assigning club members a talk or demonstration to be given at the community meeting. Health should also be on the 4-H program as it is the 4th "H" and a part of the 4-H's:

Demonstrate Projects

Demonstrations, an important part of 4-H project work, should be given special emphasis in the community 4-H club meeting. Ordinarily, demonstrations will first have been given at project meetings. A good way of affording

Equal to the Occasion Even If They Are Just Children

A Sedalia man who went to another town to visit a former Sedalia family took the small girl in the family a little bag with strap over the shoulder. The child was pleased as could be until she opened it.

"There isn't anything in it," she said with disappointment.

"We will get something to go in it," said the man, thinking that he would take her to town and buy a little change purse for the bag. But when they got to town he found out he didn't know much about women even when they are still just little girls.

The something-to-go-in it consisted of not only a purse, but a mirror, a compact, some rouge, lipstick and a few other little things that might be found in any woman's purse.

She Knew Her Purse

"Not only that," said the man, "but when she got home she went in her room and when she came out again she had her makeup on just as perfect as any young woman anywhere. She not only knew what she wanted but how to use it after she got it."

Another youngster knew what he wanted, too. A small Sedalia

Manslaughter Charges Filed

Manslaughter charges were filed against Orville E. Petree, 1211 East Broadway, in Magistrate court Monday. His case was set for January 25, and he was released on a \$2,000 bond. Fred F. Weston is his attorney.

Petree was driving a 1946 Ford truck, heading east on highway 50, two miles west of Dresden, when the truck he was driving collided with a 1946 Plymouth sedan, driven by Harvey A. Horowitz, Saturday afternoon about 3:15 o'clock.

As a result of the collision, Horowitz was killed instantly. Witnesses in the case are Leila Horowitz, R. S. and J. D. Black, two deputies from Kansas City, who were following the Horowitz automobile when the collision occurred. Sgt. William Barton and Trooper Pete Stohr.

The little boy smiled at the bride again and thrust the gift toward her with the very nicest Traveler's Insurance Company. He was assistant prosecuting attorney under Henry C. Salveter in 1934.

Democrat-Capital class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

MoPac Teams Tied For First Place In League

With the machinists winning three games last week while the wheel shop was winning only two the race in the Missouri Pacific bowling league finds both teams tied for first place with 36 games won and 15 lost. The All-Stars are in third place with the electricians and the coach shop tied for fourth place.

Standings to date:

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Wheel Shop	36	15	.705
Machinists	36	15	.705
All-Stars	25	24	.549
Coach Shop	27	24	.538
Appr. Club No. 1	28	25	.569
Clerk	23	26	.490
Reclaim Plant	25	26	.490
Others	27	27	.470
Sheetmetal Workers	20	31	.370
Pattern Shop	17	34	.333
Appr. Club No. 2	18	36	.294
Results of Last Weeks Play:			
High Ten-Pin Team	240		
Second High Ten-Ten Game	238		
High Thirty-Jimmy Taylor	235		
Second High Thirty-Frank Sims	235		
High team—Machinists	239		
Second High Team—Wheel Shop	237		
High Team averages:			
Jimmy Taylor	181		
C. Michaels	168		
C. W. Cooper	163		
Jack Lobaugh	161		
John ...	159		
H. J. Arens	158		
Frank Hanigan	157		
S. O. Hunter	157		
B. D. Bennett	155		
B. D. Wittman	155		
Schedule for play Wednesday night of this week:			
Appr. Club No. 1 vs Sheetmetal workers			
Appr. Club No. 2 vs Coach Shop.			
Electricians vs Pattern Shop.			
Wheel Shop vs Reclaim Plant.			
Clerks vs Machinists.			

BPW Bowling League Team Standings

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Burford	31	20	.607
Ritchie	26	25	.510
Powell	26	25	.510
Bond	25	26	.490
Martins	24	27	.470
Anderson	21	30	.411
High team single game: Powell	249		
High team series: Mullins	246		
High individual game: E. Huddleston	160		
High individual series: H. Turley	433		

Monday Merchants Team Standings

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Rosen's	29	22	.569
Post Office	29	22	.569
Stewart Ave Market	29	22	.569
J. C. Penney Co.	28	23	.549
Cummings Market	24	27	.471
McLaughlin Bros.	14	37	.273
High team game: Weier	207		
High team series: Weier	178		
High team single game: Pittsburg	1028		
High team series, Hogan Construction	304		
High individual single game, Owens	223		
High individual series, McCurdy, Bob	607		

City Construction League Team Standing

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Hogan Con. Co.	31	20	.608
Pittsburgh Corp.	29	22	.569
Anderson Metal Corp.	26	25	.510
Watkins Hig. & Plumb.	23	26	.480
Fingland Glass Wks.	23	26	.474
Queen City Electric Co.	17	34	.333
High team single game, Pittsburg	2473		
High individual game Lingle 193 pins.			
High team series, Hogan Constr.	1000		
High individual game, Owens 223 pins.			
High individual series, McCurdy, Bob	500 pins.		

Ladies' Monday Duck Pin League Team Standing

Marriages, Society, Club Activities In And Around Sedalia

Mrs. Captolia Albertson, 524 East Third street, announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Almeda Elaine, to Mr. James A. Holloway, son of Mrs. Dora M. Holloway, of Poplar Bluff. The marriage will take place the last of this month.

Miss Beatrice Irene Sheffield, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Sheffield, 1211 West Fifth street, became the bride of Jack Arnold, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Arnold, of Plattsburg, Mo., at 4:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon, December 18, at the Grand Avenue Methodist church in Kansas City, Mo., with the Rev. Phillip Bohi reading the double ring ceremony.

The bride selected for her wedding an aqua suit with accessories of navy blue and her corsage was a white orchid.

Miss Mary Alice Hoffman, the bride's only attendant, wore a dress of navy blue with matching accessories and her corsage was of talisman roses.

Bill Hershberger served Mr. Arnold as best man.

The couple left immediately after the ceremony on a short wedding trip, after which they went to Kansas City to reside.

The bride is a graduate of Smith-Cotton high school and attended Central college at Fayette for two years. She has been employed by the Missouri Public Service corporation, from which position she recently resigned to be married.

Mr. Arnold attended college at William Jewell college at Liberty and is now employed with Universal C. I. T. corporation.

In an impressive double ring ceremony in the First Christian church on Wednesday evening, December 29, at 7:30 o'clock, Miss Lois Evelyn Burton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Burton, of this city, became the bride of Otis M. Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rolie Thomas of Hughesville. The Rev. H. U. Campbell, pastor of the Fifth Street Methodist church, read the marriage service.

White chrysanthemums, palms, ferns and seven branch candelabra formed the background for the ceremony.

Miss Joan Schott, in yellow, and Miss Margaret Liming, in pink, with mitts and headbands matching their dresses, lighted the candles as Mrs. H. O. Foraker, organist played nuptial music. Preceding the ceremony and as the candles were lighted she played "The Indian Love Call" by Rudolf Friml, "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life," by Victor Herbert, and "I'll Walk Beside You," by Murray. She accompanied Mrs. Frank F. Evans, who sang: "Through the Years," by Vincent Youngmans, and "O, Perfect Love," by Burleigh.

As the bridal party entered the sanctuary Mrs. Foraker played Wagner's "Bridal Chorus" from "Lohengrin" as the processional and the Bach-Gounod "Ave Maria" during the ceremony. As the vows were exchanged Mrs. Evans sang "The Lord's Prayer" by Malotte and as the recessional Mrs. Foraker played Mendelssohn's Wedding March.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of slipper satin fashioned with a scalloped neckline with a lace yoke and long fitted lace sleeves edged with satin. The bodice was fitted around which was gathered a bouffant skirt swept into a long fan shaped train. Her finger-tip veil was of bridal illusion with the headband of small chrysanthemums. She carried a white Bible to which was attached a white orchid with satin ribbon streamers.

Attending the bride as matron of honor was her sister, Mrs. Elver F. Grother, of Welda, Kas. She wore a gown of chartreuse baby moire fashioned similar to that of the bride's. Her headband was of net to match her gown and she carried a bouquet of yellow chrysanthemums.

Miss Loretta Burton, sister of the bride, in light blue, and Mrs. E. C. Snavely, of Columbia, in light orchid, both gowns of baby moire, were bridesmaids. They carried Colonial bouquets and their headbands matched their dresses.

Ralph R. Thomas, of Sedalia, served his brother as best man and groomsman were R. Zeb Thomas and Jack Baugh.

Serving as ushers were Jess Tugge and George Demand.

The bride's mother wore a dress of romantic gray crepe with black accessories and her corsage was of white carnations. The mother of the bride was attired in brown with brown accessories and her corsage was also of white carnations.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held in the Ambassador room of the Hotel Bothwell with more than two hundred guests attending. Assisting in serving were Miss Selma Bloess, Miss Pauline Milburn and Miss Norma Milburn.

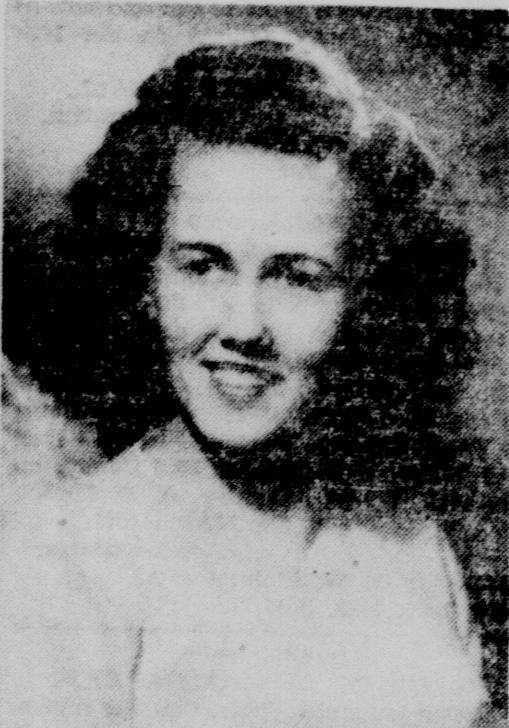
After a short wedding trip the couple went to Columbia, where they are residing at 123 Meadow Lane. For traveling the bride chose a suit of light gray gabardine with navy blue accessories and her corsage was a white orchid.

The bride is a graduate of Smith-Cotton high school and also attended Central Business college. Until her marriage she was employed at the Union Savings bank in this city.

The bridegroom is also a graduate of Smith-Cotton high school and is now a student of the University of Missouri at Columbia.

Winners in the Ladies day bridge and mah jongg games at the Sedalia Country club, following the regular luncheon Thursday afternoon were: Bridge, Mrs. Carrie Hieronymus and Mrs. E. P. Miller, and in mah jongg, Mrs. J. C. Griffin, Mrs. C. A. Wright and Mrs. Paul Hedderich.

Reservations for the Ladies day bridge and luncheon next Thurs-



Miss Frances Parks, daughter of Mrs. Lucille Parks, 303 North Prospect avenue, whose engagement and approaching marriage to Mr. Robert Goldsmith, son of Mrs. L. B. Carson, 1009 South Vermont avenue, is announced by her mother.

day, must be in by Wednesday noon.

THE Helen G. Steele Music Club chorus will have a full rehearsal at the Heard Club House at 2:00 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Arthur Bratten, chorus chairman, announces that this is an important rehearsal. All members who sing are asked to report promptly at 2:00 o'clock.

Miss Esther Loujene Ritchey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Ritchey, 129 East Walnut street, became the bride of Roy A. Ream, son of Mrs. May Ream, Route 4, Sedalia, and the late L. R. Ream, at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

On January 9, at the parsonage of the East Sedalia Baptist church, 1005 East Fifth street. The Rev. Walter P. Arnold, pastor of the church, read the single ring service in the presence of the immediate family and a few choice friends.

The bride chose for her wedding a street length dress of powder blue with which she wore brown accessories and her corsage was of white carnations.

Miss Ora Irene Ritchey, sister of the bride, as maid of honor, wore a street length dress of dusty rose and her corsage was of light pink carnations.

Miss Marjorie Schumaker, 322 North Grand avenue, was bridesmaid and wore a dress of light rose shade with a corsage of light pink carnations.

Bishop Ream, brother of the bridegroom, served as best man and Forrest F. Ritchey, brother of the bride, was groomsman.

Mrs. Ritchey, mother of the bride, was attired in gray and Mrs. Ream, mother of the bridegroom, was attired in black. Both wore dark pink carnations.

Mrs. Oscar F. Kraxberger, of Los Angeles, Cal., was an out-of-town guest for the wedding.

A reception was given at the home of the bride's parents, at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon, at which there were about thirty guests.

The dining table was covered with a lace cloth and was centered with a three tier wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom. Miss Irene Ritchey served the cake and Mrs. Andy Yeager presided at the punch bowl.

The couple left about 4:00 o'clock on a wedding trip and upon their return will be at home in a newly furnished home on Route 4, Sedalia. The bride's traveling costume was a brown pin stripe suit with matching accessories, and her corsage was of carnations.

The bride is a graduate of Smith-Cotton high school and for the past four and one-half years has been employed at the S. S. Kresge company.

Mr. Ream is engaged in farming.

Miss Dorothy Shultz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Shultz, of Tipton, and Langston Henderson,

by the president, Mrs. W. E. Roach.

Games were played following the business meeting and awards went to Mrs. Fred Morley, first, and Mrs. George Starkey, second.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. George Starkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Charles Harrison, cutting their wedding cake in the Ambassador room of the Hotel Bothwell, after their marriage, which took place December 26. Mrs. Harrison was formerly Miss Irene Wagner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Wagner, of Little Rock, Ark. and Mr. Harrison is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Harrison, 1425 South Carr avenue. (Lehner Photo)

to that country. A contribution of five dollars donated by the group will be used to buy and send the seed to Finland.

Blue ribbon awards went to Mrs. H. U. Campbell and Mrs. C. L. Carter.

Mrs. W. O. Stanley, president, presided over the business meeting.

Two new members, Mrs. E. W. Bartley and Mrs. M. J. Elsea, were introduced.

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The bride is a graduate of Smith-Cotton high school and also attended Central Business college.

Until her marriage she was employed at the Union Savings bank in this city.

The bridegroom is also a graduate of Smith-Cotton high school and is now a student of the University of Missouri at Columbia.

Winners in the Ladies day bridge and mah jongg games at the Sedalia Country club, following the regular luncheon Thursday afternoon were: Bridge, Mrs. Carrie Hieronymus and Mrs. E. P. Miller, and in mah jongg, Mrs. J. C. Griffin, Mrs. C. A. Wright and Mrs. Paul Hedderich.

Reservations for the Ladies day bridge and luncheon next Thurs-

of Versailles, were married at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening at the Christian church, in Tipton. The Rev. J. L. Freeman read the double ring ceremony.

The nuptial music was played by Mrs. Frank Quigley, organist.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a street length dress of white faille with accessories of white. Her corsage was of red roses.

Mrs. James Ball, the bride's only attendant, wore a gray street length dress with black accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations.

James Ball served as best man.

The bride is a graduate of the Tipton high school in the class of 1948 and has been employed at the Rexall Drug store in Versailles.

Mr. Henderson is a graduate of Versailles High school in the class of 1941 and attended Central Missouri State college at Warrensburg and Western Michigan college at Kalamazoo, where he received his B. S. degree.

He was a member of the Marine Corps during World War II, serving for several years.

On January 30 the young couple will go to Kalamazoo, where Mr. Henderson will enter Western Michigan college to study for his Master's degree.

The bride is a graduate of the Smith-Cotton high school and attended Central college at Fayette for two years. She has been employed by the Missouri Public Service corporation, from which position she recently resigned to be married.

Mr. Arnold attended college at William Jewell college at Liberty and is now employed with Universal C. I. T. corporation.

day, must be in by Wednesday noon.

THE Helen G. Steele Music Club chorus will have a full rehearsal at the Heard Club House at 2:00 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Arthur Bratten, chorus chairman, announces that this is an important rehearsal. All members who sing are asked to report promptly at 2:00 o'clock.

The Past Presidents Club of Charles Kook Circle No. 77, G. A. R., met at the home of Mrs. W. E. Roach Thursday.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon and at 2:00 o'clock the meeting was called to order.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Charles Harrison, cutting their wedding cake in the Ambassador room of the Hotel Bothwell, after their marriage, which took place December 26. Mrs. Harrison was formerly Miss Irene Wagner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Wagner, of Little Rock, Ark. and Mr. Harrison is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Harrison, 1425 South Carr avenue. (Lehner Photo)

to that country. A contribution of five dollars donated by the group will be used to buy and send the seed to Finland.

Blue ribbon awards went to Mrs. H. U. Campbell and Mrs. C. L. Carter.

Mrs. W. O. Stanley, president, presided over the business meeting.

Mrs. W. W. Chambers and Mrs. E. L. Puffham as assisting hostesses.

A 1:00 o'clock dessert luncheon was served to 13 members and one guest.

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were stored caused it to flare up with more intensity. Two trucks were said to have been in the building.

Move Out Furniture

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Whittington, 119 South Washington avenue, occupying the house just across the alley from the lumber yard, had all their furniture moved out of the lower part of the house. The furniture was carried in the yard of Leonard Woolery, next door neighbor. The Whittington home was scorched on the north side, and practically every window was broken on that side. Window shades curled up from the intense heat. Mrs. Whittington said she hadn't noticed the fire until she heard the fire trucks. Mr. Woolery said he saw the fire about 8:30 o'clock, and said it was "pretty good size."

Another home across the street, 320 East Main street, occupied by J. M. Hotsenpiller, owner, and three other families, was also searched and windows' lights broken. Mr. Hotsenpiller said he first learned of the fire when Negro knocked at the door and notified him of it. He told his wife to call the fire department, and then went outside to look at the fire. He said this was about 7:55 o'clock, and said "fire was coming out the windows, and the buildings were about half burnt down." He also described it as a pretty big fire.

Firemen were still at the fire and traffic was blocked off until after midnight.

Salvation Army members were there passing out hot coffee and sandwiches.

Four men were arrested by police for running over fire hoses: Harold L. Silberstein, 421 West Seventh street, Earl Bransterer, 712 East Eighteenth street, Richard Roderick, 115 South Lamont Avenue, and George E. Bryant, 232 East Walnut street.

They each posted a five dollar bond to appear in police court this morning.

OBITUARIES

Charles W. Hardin Service

Funeral services for Charles William Hardin, who resided with his sister, Mrs. J. M. DeJarnette, 520 West Second street, who died at 10:00 o'clock Thursday night at the Bothwell hospital, were held at the McLaughlin funeral chapel at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon with the Rev. Walter P. Arnold, pastor of the East Sedalia Baptist church, officiating.

He is survived by one sister, Mrs. J. M. De Jarnette and one step-daughter, Mrs. A. W. Bellamy of 129 East Saline street.

Acting pallbearers were: Eugene Bennett, John E. Bennett, A. L. Pringle, W. B. Edwards, F. G. Knerl and Roy Duncan.

Interment was in the Crown Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Mary L. Beck

Mrs. Mary L. Beck, 73 years old died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. O. Romig, near Otterville at 3:20 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, after a long illness.

She was born in Moniteau county, March 26, 1894, the daughter of the late Joseph and Josepha Williams. She has lived all of her life in the Clifton City and Otterville communities.

She was married at Clear Creek, Mo., January 26, 1894 to Antoine Beck. Thirteen children were born to this union, one of whom died in infancy and one son, Lawrence Beck, died at the age of 11 years.

Mrs. Beck was also preceded in death by three brothers, Griffith Williams, Henry Williams and John Williams, and one sister, Lorene Williams. One grandson and one great-grandchild died in infancy.

Her husband died December 23, 1930.

She is survived by six sons, Jake Beck, Otterville; Robt. Beck New Franklin; Antone Beck, Otterville; Frank and Harry Beck, Sedalia; Eugene Beck, Columbia; five daughters, Mrs. Joe Gramlich, Booneville; Mrs. J. O. Romig, Otterville; Mrs. L. E. Youngs; Mrs. A. A. Twenter; Mrs. Robert L. Jones, Columbia; two sisters, Mrs. Sid Thompson, Sedalia, and Mrs. Joe Johnson, Pleasant Green, Mo.; two brothers, Harry Williams, Columbia, and Bob Williams, Dearfield, Kans.

Twenty-four grandchildren and eight great grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services will be held at the St. Joseph's church in Clifton City at 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning.

The Rev. Father J. L. Hartigan will officiate.

Interment will be in the Clifton City cemetery.

The body was taken to the Ewing funeral home and returned to the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. O. Romig, near Otterville, at 4:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Oklahoma A. And M. Defeats St. Louis U.

STILLWATER, Okla., Jan. 20.—(P)—Mighty St. Louis University was knocked from the ranks of the nation's unbeaten basketball teams here tonight as the Oklahoma A & M Aggies whipped the Billikens 29 to 27 in a game that went into one overtime period.

It was the same oath taken by the nation's first president, George Washington, when the father of his country stood on a balcony at Federal Hall at the foot of New York's Wall Street, April 30, 1789, and took over the guidance of the 13 colonies from British rule while a Spanish man-o-war boomed a 15-gun salute in the harbor.

It was the same oath, too, that Thomas Jefferson took for the first inauguration in the new national capital city of Washington, March 4, 1801, when he walked across muddy fields from his boarding house to the then unfinished capitol.

President Truman stood square-shouldered, with his left hand resting on two Bibles, his right hand upraised, as he took the oath.

He stood before a battery of radio microphones, with the great spread-eagle seal of the United States shining in the sun immediately below.

Scores of youngsters perched in the branches of the towering win-

Truman For Peace, Plenty And Freedom

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tions can settle differences justly and maintain lasting peace."

Then he went on to propose a four-point program of action, pledging:

2. "Unfaltering support" to the United Nations.

2. Continued aid for world economic recovery.

3. Support—including military aid—to bolster freedom-loving nations "against aggression."

4. A "bold new program" to help the world's needy areas.

This last point was the new element in his speech. More than half the world's people are miserable, poverty-stricken, disease ridden, he said.

Raise Living Standards

Though the material sources of the United States is limited, it and other nations can pool their "technical knowledge" and work through the United Nations to help free people raise their living standards.

The aim, he said should be to help those people "produce more food, more clothing, more materials for housing, and more mechanical power to lighten their burdens."

He spoke of guarantees to investors who put their money in such undertakings. But there must be guarantees also, he said, "in the interest of the people whose resources and whose labor go into these developments."

Then, after returning from dining services, the chief executive left Blair house, the temporary White House, at 11:22 a. m. and drove through a roaring Niagara of cheers to the capitol.

An air of carnival reigned as the huge crowds, the biggest turnout in Washington's history, waited with cheerful patience in the cold for the big show to begin.

More people, more solemnity, more big shots, more confusion.

But otherwise, it was much the same. There were people hoping they could recognize dignitaries, dignitaries hoping that people could recognize dignitaries.

There were the same close calls.

Vice President Barkley tripped on the steps coming down, grabbed at President Truman to help keep his balance.

From capitol hill, the scene shifted through downtown Washington to the White House as Mr. Truman rode in triumph at the head of his inaugural parade.

The roar from an estimated million throats drowned out the thunder of planes as the spry little man from Missouri, smiling and waving rode along densely crowded Pennsylvania avenue to reviewing stand fronting the White House.

Dazzling Parade

The greatest parade in Washington's long history—more than 40 floats, 40 bands and 40 marchers—followed him in a three-hour procession of music and fanfare, glittering color and gaudous girls.

The crowds whooped and hollered, lifting cascades of applause, as the seven mile parade swung by crowded spectators' stands, with exhibits running the gamut from a bellowing circus steam calliope—a voice out of the past—to the giant B-36 bombers in the aerial show overhead.

Tommy Comstock, the man who played the "steam pipe-announcer," said the blaring strains of the "Missouri Waltz" and "My Old Kentucky Home" could be heard for seven miles. The calliope was drawn by eight huge white Percherons.

The sky parade was the biggest flotilla of aircraft ever seen over the nation's capital: 700 planes of every type, from the world's largest bombers to sleek jet "Shooting Stars."

The nation's future military leaders—row on row of smartly uniformed West Point cadets and Annapolis midshipmen—lent color to the spectacle as they stepped briskly along the parade route between capitol hill and the White House.

In happy mood, the vast throng of spectators who began the day shivering in the cold, near-freezing wind but thawed toward noon as the sun warmed up, jammed every available inch of space along Pennsylvania avenue.

An estimated 44,000 had bleacher seats, at \$2.50 to \$10 each, but tens of thousands had to stand for hours to witness the historic reception for the man who "didn't stand a chance" before the election last November.

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